WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warm.

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ANOTHER TEST VOTE IN COMMONS SOON

INSURANCE AGENTS ATTACK RULING ON COLLECTION OF PROVINCIAL INCOME TAX

Oppose Levy on Contingent Commission as Tax on Profits Previously Paid by Head Offices of Companies Doing Business in British Columbia; Case Proceeding Before Appeal Court

Another provincial taxation issue was opened in the British Columbia Appeal Court this morning through an appeal against a Court of Revision judgment assessing for income tax purposes the contingent commissions received by insurance agencies in British Columbia representing companies with headquarters outside the Province. A sum of $800 only is involved in the present appeal made by Seeley and Company Limited of Vancouver, representative of five United States and one British company, but all insurance agents in the Province are interested in the decision as to whether the Province can assess the contingent bonuses for income tax.

SIX YEARS BACK

G. E. Houssen for the appellant, said his company this year for the first time has been called upon to pay income tax on their contingent commissions, and Judge D. McKenzie, of the Appeal Court, had ruled that the tax should date back six years. Under the Revised Statutes 1924, Section 42, Subsection A, applying to the income tax act, he submitted his clients were entitled to exemption on contingent commissions on the grounds that they had previously been taxed. Taxes were paid upon this amount, he submitted, by the head offices of the companies.

TWO COMMISSIONS

His clients were agents for a number of insurance companies, mostly in the United States and one in England, all licensed to do business in British Columbia and all of whom paid taxes. They received two classes of commissions. The first was commission on policies they wrote and on which they paid income tax without disput. Besides that at the end of each year they received a bonus or contingent commission. The bonus was on the profits made by the companies in British Columbia. If the agents paid a tax on the latter, he said, it would be taxed twice over, as the Province once collected it in the returns from the companies.

Mr. Justice Galliher—Do the companies in estimating what they shall pay for taxes deduct the bonus? A.—No.

The judge in the Court of Revision got mixed up on commissions and profits, counsel argued, when he ruled that there was no difference in ordinary commissions and contingent commissions.

Last year, he proceeded, his clients were suddenly assessed for six years back. The Government had not attempted to collect until last year. The right of the Government to make the income tax retroactive, when it was collectable and had been overlooked, was not disputed.

Carew Martin appears for the respondent.

ILLNESS DELAYS TAFT'S HOLIDAY

Washington, June 22.—Chief Justice Taft, who was stricken with illness more than two weeks ago, is still in bed and will not leave to-day for his Summer home at Murray Bay, Quebec, as he had planned. His physician said, however, that he probably would be in condition to leave for Canada by the end of the week.

Briand's New Cabinet Efforts Proceed Slowly

Paris, June 22.—A long conference this afternoon with M. Poincare and Paul Doumer, the tentative choice for Finance Minister, brought Premier Briand little nearer solution of the Cabinet crisis. The conference broke up at 6.25, to be resumed later in the evening.

It is understood M. Briand meanwhile will consult Former Premier Caillaux.

M. Briand went to the palace shortly after 7 o'clock to-night to report to President Doumergue on the results of his efforts to form a Cabinet.

RESTS AFTER HIS LONG CAMPAIGN; ABD-EL-KRIM

Abd-el-Krim, the crafty chieftain who for more than two years led his Riffian tribesmen in their fight to drive the Spaniards and French from Morocco, is now living quietly with his family far from the former battle line, following his recent surrender to the European powers. Above is a picture of Krim just received on this continent. It was taken after his surrender.

EMPIRE STEEL MAY UNDERGO REORGANIZATION

Montreal, June 22.—Rumors on the street that the British Empire Steel Corporation, the enterprise controlling the steel and coal companies of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, would pass into the hands of some outside financier for complete reorganization persisted to-day. No confirmation of these rumors was obtainable.

AUTO KILLED BOY

Herbert, Sask., June 22. — Edwin Cornelson, eight years old, of Main Centre, Sask., was instantly killed here yesterday when struck by a car driven by Mrs. J. J. Haeber of Herbert.

WEALTHY VISITOR IS PURCHASER OF SAANICH ESTATE

The Bradley Dyne estate, comprising twenty acres on the Saanich Peninsula at Patricia Bay, has been sold to William Parker, a wealthy English gentleman, who visited Victoria this year and was so impressed with the beauty and climate of the city and district that he decided to come here to retire. On the estate is a fine seventeen-room residence surrounded by beautiful gardens.

The new owner of Bradley Dyne is now in England and plans to return here shortly to reside permanently.

The deal was put through by Swinerton & Musgrave.

OTTAWA CUSTOMS DEBATE TO LEAD TO A DIVISION

Moving of Adoption of Report on Inquiry Results in Offering of Amendment by Conservatives Criticizing Hon. G. H. Boivin; Minister Defends His Course; Interest in Closing Debate of the Session Indicated by Crowds in Galleries of Chamber

Ottawa, June 22.—The moving of the adoption of the report of the customs committee by Paul Mercier in the House this afternoon brought the beginning of the debate on the mass of evidence presented during the months of inquiry and brought also a Conservative amendment voicing censure of the course of Hon. G. H. Boivin, present Minister of Customs.

The Conservative amendment was moved by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, who made the charges which led to the inquiry.

The House and galleries were crowded when Chairman Mercier rose to move adoption of the report.

Mr. Mercier, who is Liberal member for St. Henri, Montreal, said the committee was convinced the House would find in the report the material necessary upon which to base a reorganization and improvement of the preventive service. A well-organized preventive service was a great assistance to a nation in the collection of revenue and for the adequate safeguarding of trade and commerce.

Referring to the question of ministerial responsibility, Mr. Mercier asked if a minister could always be expected not to make an error when he was influenced perhaps by a sense of compassion.

STEVENS'S VIEWS

Hon. H. H. Stevens, who followed, said Senator Bureau, former Minister of Customs, had perverted his opportunities of service to the state through the distribution of indulgences to his favorites.

Mr. Stevens asserted officals under the administration should be condemned without any measure of consideration in having deliberately connived at violations of the general terms of the anti-smuggling treaty between Canada and the United States.

He said there were three major prosecutions to be undertaken—first, the Gaunt case; second, the Dominion Distillers, and third, the group of companies at Rock Island, Quebec.

TEXT OF AMENDMENT

The Stevens amendment reads as follows:

"That the report be not now adopted, but that it be referred back to the special committee for instructions to add thereto the following clauses and sub-clauses to paragraph six:

"The evidence further discloses that ministerial action has been influenced by the improper pressure of political associates and the friends of the Minister or Acting Minister administering the department, resulting in the suspension and in some instances the abandonment of prosecutions against those charged with violation of the statutes and in the loss of revenue to the country. Moreover, successful appeals have been made to the Minister and the Acting Minister administering the department to improperly interfere with the course of justice between the conviction of offenders and the execution of judgment thereon. The Prime Minister and the Government had knowledge for some considerable time of the rapid degeneration of the Department of Customs and Excise, and their failure to take prompt and effective action is wholly indefensible. The conduct of the present Minister of the Department, Hon. G. H. Boivin, in the case of Moses Aziz is utterly unjustifiable.

APPEALS TO MINISTER

"Your committee deplores the practice, as revealed by the evidence, of certain men, influential in public life, to direct the appeals to the Minister to relax and depart from the proper administration of his department for reasons of political expediency.

"Your committee is of the opinion this factor is detrimental to the best interests of the country and is prejudicial to the administration of the department.

"And that the committee for such purpose be revived."

DIFFICULT TASK

Speaking to his motion, Chairman Mercier said the Department of Customs and Excise was one of the most difficult to administer. Evidence taken before the committee had demonstrated that the Minister was continually exposed to various influences. Members of Parliament of all parties came to him to obtain favors for electors, begging for minimum fines or for the suspension of proceedings already referred to the courts of the country. Before passing final judgment the members should recall that the Minister of a department should be a public man—a man who belonged to the public—and as such he was continually subject to censure.

TO ERR IS HUMAN

It should be remembered, continued Mr. Mercier, that a member of the House might become one day a member of the Cabinet. Could he be always expected to make no errors when perhaps he was influenced by those with some sense of compas-

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VICTORIA NORMAL SCHOOL MAKES EXCELLENT RECORD IN FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Examination results issued by the Department of Education to-day show that of 176 students attending the Normal School at Victoria 160 have won diplomas entitling them to accept teachers' certificates in British Columbia. The Normal School at Victoria had an excellent record, with twelve students passing with distinction. Vancouver Normal, with fifty-four more successful students on its list from a larger class, recorded thirteen students passing with distinction.

FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY-TWO STUDENTS

The number of students in attendance at Normal School during the year just closed was 432, of which 256 attended Vancouver Normal and 176 Victoria Normal. Diplomas will be issued to 230 successful students at Vancouver and 160 at Victoria. Of the former, thirteen passed with distinction and of the latter twelve. It is interesting to note that there was a decrease of 172 in the number of students enrolled in Normal Schools from the figures for the previous year and a decrease of 127 in the number of successful students. The surplus of teachers will, therefore, rapidly disappear. Successful Normal students this year will receive interim first or interim second class teachers' certifificates valid for two years. At the end of two years' successful experience in British Columbia schools, the holders of the interim certificates will, on the inspectors' recommendations, receive permanent teachers' certifiates of the first or second class, according to their academic attainments. This is in accord with the practice prevailing in most of the provinces of Canada at the present time.

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HUDSON'S BAY PLANS COLONIZATION OF ITS LANDS IN THE WEST

Company Official Arrives to Gather Information to Work Out Policy

Hudson's Bay Company, which owns vast tracts of land throughout Western Canada, is gathering material on which to formulate an immigration and settlement policy.

This became known here to-day with the arrival of J. McWhirter of the Hudson's Bay Company, London, who is investigating conditions and opportunities for settlers in Western Canada. He is in conference here with E. H. Wilson, land commissioner of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Mr. McWhirter explained that there were vast possibilities in bringing out settlers from the crowded parts of the British Isles and settling them on the idle lands of Canada. He said that his present trip was for the purpose of gathering information and that he wanted to know the extent of the prejudice, if any, against such immigrants who come out here to take up a new life on the land.

Mr. McWhirter also had a long talk with Premier Oliver, who told from his own experience of the difficulties and problems of the newcomer.

WINNIPEG GREETS GYRO DELEGATES

1,000 Visitors in City For Canadian-U.S. Convention of Organization

Winnipeg, June 22.—Winnipeg to-day was host to 1,000 Gyros and Gyrettes, delegates to the Tenth International Convention of the Gyro Clubs with a civic reception and luncheon in Kildonan Park.

Mayor Ralph R. Webb, in officially welcoming the delegates, who represent sixty-six centres in Canada and the United States, presented the visitors with a little golden key, emblematic of the traditional freedom of the city.

K. Huffman of Denver, international president, and Clarence Lougheed of Calgary, international vice-president, replied to the cordial welcome extended by Mayor Webb.

MEMBERSHIP GROWS

The first business session of the convention was held this morning with President Huffman presiding. Committees for routine work were appointed and the annual report of Edmund L. Kagy, international secretary, was presented. The report showed the membership had increased fifteen per cent during the past year, with a twenty per cent increase in clubs.

Davenport, Iowa, and Tacoma, Washington, won the attendance contest, Vancouver the golf competition and Moose Jaw the bowling contest.

In outlining the business, President Huffman noted a change in the constitution would be sought, and also a new name for the club.

An inspirational address on "Gyro Bonds" was delivered by Dr. A. C. (Mose) Hall of Detroit, Michigan.

NEW PRESIDENT

In convention circles it was intimated this morning that Vice-President Lougheed is slated to succeed President Huffman when the election of officers for 1926-27 is held.

REWARD OFFERED FOR CAPTURE OF SLAYER

$500 to be Paid to Person Who Causes Arrest of Murderer of Sylvia Gaines

Seattle, June 22.—With a reward of $500 offered for capture of the slayer, detectives here to-day continued their efforts to discover who murdered Sylvia H. Gaines, twenty-two, on the shore of Green Lake, in the northern part of Seattle, late on Tuesday night of last week, and mutilated the body.

In addition to the reward, voted by the board of county commissioners, Prosecutor Ewing D. Colvin, of King County, has unlimited financial support in his search for the criminal, also voted by the commissioners.

Despite the intensified efforts of the police, no clue has been discovered as yet.

REPORTS DISPELLED

F. S. Stokes and his wife are on record as declaring Wallace C. Gaines, father of Sylvia, was not the

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THRONG OF WOMEN AT CHURCH CONGRESS

180,000 at Roman Catholic Gathering in Chicago Included Only 5,000 Men

Chicago, June 22.—The greatest assemblage of women ever gathered within one enclosure in North America banked the stands in Soldiers' Field to-day at the second public session of the international eucharistic congress. It was women's day and the vast arena harbored less than 5,000 men in the 180,000 worshippers.

Solemn pontifical mass at the great outdoor altar was celebrated by the Most Rev. Joseph Palica, Archbishop of Filippi.

GREAT CHOIR

A women's choir of 15,000, including 5,000 nuns, chanted the "Missarosa Mystica," the famous Mass of Vito Carnevali.

The speakers are Cardinal Piffl, Archbishop of Vienna, who spoke in German, and Associate Justice Butler of the United States Supreme Court, who stressed the importance of religious training as a factor in the moral development of democratic institutions.

Archbishop Edward J. Hanna of San Francisco preached the sermon. He described the assemblage as the greatest honor to womankind in history.

SECTIONAL SESSIONS

Chicago, June 22.—Six of the twelve princes of the Roman Catholic Church attending the twenty-eighth International Eucharistic Congress here have leading parts on to-day's programme, which includes a general meeting of the Congress at Soldiers' Field, with Cardinal O'Connell of Boston presiding, and addresses by Cardinal Charost, Archbishop of Rennes, France, and Cardinal Piffl, Archbishop of Vienna, and Justice Pierce Butler of the United States Supreme Court.

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BOARDS OF TRADE DISCUSS PROBLEMS

Organizations of Southeastern British Columbia Meet in City of Nelson

Nelson, June 22.—With approximately a dozen boards of trade of the Kootenay district represented, the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia convened for their twenty-sixth annual session here this morning with a long list of resolutions before it.

Commissioner Fred A. Starkey, in his annual report, featured the mining prosperity, and also the opportunity for a more effective appeal for British capital and settlers for the whole province, basing this recommendation on his own experience as provincial mine representative at Wembley.

President Noble Binns, while giving credit to the Provincial Government for its readjustment of mine taxation, declared there was room for further improvement in general tax reduction.

Dealing with the railway freight rate revision, he declared that if the Kootenenay did not state its case effectively this time, it should "keep silence forever."

Man Who Was Mayor Third of Century Dies

Toronto, June 22—Walter Rimer, who for thirty-three years was mayor of the town of Bryson, Que., and for fifty-four years registrar of Pontiac County, died at the home of his daughter here yesterday. Mr. Rimer was in his eighty-third year and from the point of service was one of the oldest municipal officials on the continent.

Dr. Frank E. Rimer of Vernon, B. C., is a son.

$100,000 FIRE IN ONTARIO

Leaside, Ont., June 22.—The plant of the Leaside Brick and Sand Works was completely gutted by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

MEDICAL CONVENTION CALLS LABOR LEADERS' ATTENTION TO NEED OF STRONG ACTION

Canadian Medical Association Finds Hardship Inflicted by Workmen's Compensation Legislation; All Citizens Should Voluntarily Submit to Physical Examination

The Canadian Medical Association will ask the Federal Government to pass legislation standardizing all drugs sold in Canada. At this morning's session of the council of the association, at the Empress Hotel, speakers urged the need of a definite standard of quality and purity in the drugs whereon the lives of patients often depend. A resolution will be sent to the Federal Department of Health seeking action as soon as possible.

The council strongly favored annual or periodic health examinations by every citizen. A resolution from a special committee which has been considering the matter was submitted to the meeting, and was approved in principle as being in the interest of the people themselves. The council considered that this work should be undertaken and advocated by the family physicians, and decided to organize a department to urge medical men to advance this work.

SEE INJUSTICE

Disadvantages suffered by workmen, under existing regulations of Provincial Workmen's Compensation Act was brought before the council by a special committee. It was pointed out that if a workman is injured in one Province, he draws compensation only while resident in that Province, payments ceasing if he leaves for family or other reasons.

The committee on Intro-Canadian relations suggested that the Canadian Medical Association should bring this disability to the attention of the Minister of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. This course will be adopted, and the Trades and Labor Congress will be advised to press for a legislative amendment to continue to injured men their remittances during disability, regardless of change of residence.

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BIG TRACTS SELL TO LOCAL REALTOR

Alfred Carmichael and Company Purchase Two Ten-lot Tracts Here

The $20,000 tract of residential land comprising ten full lots at the corner of Cook Street and Fairfield Road, and running through to Pakington Street, has been purchased by the firm of Alfred Carmichael & Company, Broad Street, from the Bank of Montreal, it was announced this morning. This property was formerly owned by David Doig, and the old residence is now being torn down.

With a frontage of 240 feet on Cook Street, 300 feet on Fairfield Road and 300 feet on Pakington Street, this property is one of the largest to have changed hands in Victoria in many months

No sum was named in connection with the transaction, but the assessed valuation of the ten lots is $20,000.

ANOTHER BIG BUY

Yesterday afternoon Carmichael & Company purchased the biggest single block tract that the city has sold in all its real estate history. This piece, comprising nine lots frontage on Douglas Street, lying between Michigan and Toronto Streets, was purchased by the Carmichael interests at $12,500, a low figure for such a wonderfully placed property. The tenth lot of this tract was purchased from a private owner for $1,400.

The frontage on Douglas Street of this property is 490 feet, on Toronto, 300 feet and on Michigan 300 feet.

RESIDENTIAL LOTS GO

Five lots in the Cadboro Heights subdivision were reported as sold this week already by Mr. Carmichael. On two of them homes will be immediately started, he stated.

SPECIALISTS IN CHILD AILMENTS ELECT OFFICERS

Dr. H. L. Moon of Seattle to Head North Pacific Pediatric Society

The North Pacific Pediatric Society, an association of medical men of Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Alberta and British Columbia, devoted to the study of the diseases of children, and this year holding its sessions synchronously with the proceedings of the Canadian Medical Association, this morning at the Empress Hotel opened its mid-summer meeting, with thirty members in attendance.

President E. J. Barnet, of Spokane, in his annual address dealt with the rapidly widening field of pediatrics, and the close study being given ailments of children, which have been found to have an important bearing in the health and stamina of the adult.

Dr. J. B. Bilderback of Portland, Oregon, gave a technical address on tumors in children, Dr. Gordon Chown, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, reported on cases of skin diseases of the acrodynia group, and Dr. R. O'Callaghan, of Calgary, dealt with peritonitis of certain types.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. H. L. Moon of Seattle, Wash.; vice-president, Dr. Howard Spohn of Vancouver, B. C., secretary-treasurer: Dr. V. W. Spickard of Calgary, Alta.

This afternoon's discussion included addresses by Dr. Spohn and Dr. H. A. Rawlings, of Vancouver; Dr. Willis S. Lemon, of the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minn.; Dr. J. G. Fitzgerald, director of the Laboratory of Toronto University, and Dr. Herbert Coe, of Seattle.

The society will hold its annual dinner this evening at the Union Club.

Canadian Club Luncheon Cancelled

Because of the rush of other functions in connection with the medical convention here this week, the Canadian Club luncheon which was to have been held Wednesday, has been cancelled, it was annnouced to-day by Frank J. Sehl, secretary of the club.

Dr. F. G. Banting discoverer of insulin, and Dr. J. G. Fitzgerald, chairman of the Medical Council, had been invited to speak.

The next luncheon of the Canadian Club will be held on July 2 when President T. B. Macaulay of the Sun Life will be the speaking guest.

STUDY OF PROBLEM OF COAL IS URGED

Hasty Building of Bunkering Facilities in Vancouver Advised Against

Ottawa, June 22 (Canadian ress)—In its final report to the House, tabled this afternoon, the special committee on coal supply recommends:

That before sanctioning any scheme by the harbor authorities of Vancouver to erect public coal bunkering facilities, the matter should be very carefully considered as regards what effect such might produce on the coal mines of Vancouver Island, inasmuch as coal might be brought in as ballast from other countries at such a low price as would result disastrously to the local coal mines.

Other recommendations include:

1—That trial shipments of Alberta coal be made by rail and lake under the supervision of the Dominion Fuel Board in order to ascertain the possibility of moving Alberta coal in large volume with modern loading and unloading facilities.

COKE OUTPUT

2. That such legislation be enacted as will encourage the production of domestic coke from Canadian coal and to make Canada as far as possibihe independent of foreign sources of supply of domestic fuel.

3. That the Government invite the co-operation of the provinces in the establishment of standards of quality and regulations governing the shipment and marketing of coal and coke.

BOARD'S EFFORTS

4. That the Dominion Fuel Board, which has greatly assisted in the effort to solve Canada's fuel problem, be encouraged to continue and enlarge its work.

5. That the duty of fifty cents per ton now imposed on bituminous slack coal be extended to apply to anthracite small coal, known to the trade as "buckwheat and pea coals."

E. W. Beatty Soon Is to End Visit To Great Britain

London, June 22 (Canadian Press Cable)—E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, expects to return to Canada on the liner Empress of France, which is to sail June 26.

He has been in Britain for some time, having crossed the Atlantic for the purpose of placing orders for construction of new ships for the Canadian Pacific Railway's ocean services. His intentions were to place contracts amounting to $15,000,000, it was reported on his arrival. Public announcement has already been made that he has contracted with Clyde shipbuilding firms for the construction of two passenger and cargo carrying vessels.

Two Auto Deaths in Quebec Province

Sherbrooke, Que., June 19.—Automobile accidents in this vicinity have claimed two lives. William Henry Stacey, fifty-six, a prominent lumberman of the Eastern Townships, was instantly killed near Stornaway, in Winslow Township, when he lost control of his car and it ran into a telephone pole.

At Magog, five-year-old Joseph Buckland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buckland, was struck down by a motor car and died of his injuries.

PARLIAMENT IS TO VOTE ON TREATIES

Commons Declares Against Ratification of Any Without Houses' Approval

Premier King Endeavors to Discover Meighen's Real Attitude on Question

Ottawa, June 22.—Premier King's motion declaring no treaty hereafter shall be ratified on behalf of Canada without the approval of Parliament was passed by the House of Commons yesterday afternoon without a division.

"We stand first, foremost and always for the approval of the Parliament of Canada," said Premier King in stating the attitude of the Government in regard to the ratification of treaties, particularly pacts, involving military or economic sanctions.

"We believe Parliament stands as the one body representative of the nation as a whole, and we believe that, having it understood in advance that on all these great questions Parliament will be consulted and its approval obtained, we shall be helping to maintain, without possibility of division or difference, the relations between the different parts of this great Empire, and that we shall be able to further in the most effective way unity within our own country and unity within the British Empire itself."

Mr. King's motion provided that "before His Majesty's Canadian ministers advise ratification of a treaty or convention affecting Canada, or signify acceptance of any treaty, convention or agreement involving military or economic sanctions, the approval of the Parliament of Canada should be secured."

LOCARNO AGREEMENTS

The Prime Minister intimated the Locarno Treaty would come up for discussion at the next Imperial conference in October. Up to the present the Canadian Government had not signified its acceptance of the Locarno agreements, nor would it reach any decision until after the Imperial conference.

"The point I wish to bring out very clearly," added Premier King, "is that this Government will take the position, regardless of what decision may be reached, that Parliament will be asked to approve the acceptance of the Locarno pact before the Dominion of Canada becomes a party thereto."

MEIGHEN'S HAMILTON SPEECH

Mr. King recalled that in a speech delivered in Hamilton last Fall Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, had declared that if ever the spectre of 1914 should again appear, it would be best not only that Parliament should be called, but that the decision of the Government should be submitted to the people before troops should leave Canada's shores.

The question, stated Premier King, which he would like to put to Mr. Meighen was whether he had meant it should rest with the Government to make the decision whether or not Canada should participate in a foreign war, or whether it should be Parliament which must approve before further reference should be made to the people in a general election.

"I can answer that now," replied Mr. Meighen. "I never for a moment contemplated the Government would make a decision irrespective of Parliament."

The Prime Minister then asked whether the policy of the Conservative leader was that Parliament in the first instance should approve the decision of the Government.

"I have not stated anything about the order," replied Mr. Meighen. "I simply say in answer to the direct question put to me that I never contemplated the Government acting in the way of sending troops without the approval of Parliament."

CLEAR STATEMENT ASKED

"That does not answer my question," declared the Prime Minister. "Mr. Meighen should make his position clear.

"Let us assume for a moment that the Government has reached a decision to participate in a foreign war. Would my right honorable friend first obtain the approval of Parliament of that decision before he would appeal to the people in a general election?"

"If the people have to be appealed to it is perfectly worthless to appeal to Parliament first," said Mr. Meighen. "The people would decide, and Parliament, when elected, would approve."

"Now we see what my right honorable friend means," said Premier King. "He does not mean to ask the approval of Parliament with respect to participation in foreign wars."

"Not at all," said Mr. Meighen.

The answer given by Mr. Meighen, stated Premier King, was not capable of any other interpretation.

Continuing, he added that Mr. Meighen "will not say he would submit for the approval of Parliament the decision the Government had reached with respect to participation in foreign wars."

"I did not say that at all," said Mr. Meighen.

The Prime Minister said he would put a concrete case before the Conservative leader. If under the Locarno treaty the Government should decide troops were to be sent to France or Germany, would Mr. Meighen, if he had decided that troops were to go, call Parliament together and submit the question to Parliament "and abide by the decision of Parliament before he makes his appeal to the electorate."

"I have answered that question already, but my answer is being misinterpreted," replied Mr. Meighen.

TO CALL PARLIAMENT

Premier King stated Mr. Meighen should make his position clear. The resolution which the House was being asked to pass, declared the Prime Minister, would make it clear, no matter what might be in the mind of Mr. Meighen, that before this country could participate in a foreign war Parliament would be assembled and its approval obtained with respect to the sendihg of troops to take part in the war.

In the resolution, the supremacy of Parliament was being asserted.

"We do not take the extreme of ignoring Parliament in one way or the other," said the Premier.

This, he declared, was the policy of the Liberal Party.

NO CIVIL STRIFE WANTED

C. H. Cahan, Conservative, St. Lawrence-St. George, Montreal, hoped that at no time would an election be precipitated which would engender civil strife, and possibly bloodshed, over a question of external or imperial policies.

HORNETS' NEST

Henri Bourassa, Independent, Labelle, Quebec, thought the Locarno Treaties a hornets' nest out of which Canada had better keep. Now that France had nearly 3,000,000 negroes to dominate the continent of Europe, he argued, Great Britain was bound to be anti-French. The occasion might not arise to-day or to-morrow, but it was bound to come. And the leader of a Canadian Government who would propose to enlist troops in a war against France would deal to the heart and life of Canada the deadliest blow ever given to it.

T. L. Church, Conservative, Northwest Toronto, declared Canada should "stop whining." He said the motion was based on separatism.

E. J. Garland, Progressive, Bow River, Alberta, expressed his regret that the Prime Minister had not in the course of hi speech made a more definite pronouncement respecting his views on the Locarno Treaty.

"Other colonies of the Empire have done so," he said.

TO DETERMINE DESTINY

J. L. Brown, Progressive, Lisgar, Manitoba, said force was not the binding factor in the British Empire. He believed the bonds of love and affection were infinitely stronger than treaty bonds.

"Canada's destiny must be determined by the people of Canada as expressed by the will of this Parliament," Mr. Brown declared.

CAUTION NEEDED

Robert Forke, Progressive leader, thought Canada should consider well before binding herself to become embroiled in European troubles, unless the call of the blood should bring the people to the assistance of the mother country in time of distress.

FALLING PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS ARE BLAMED FOR WOES

Reeve Matheson Tells of Need of Improvement Tax in Esquimalt

Whole Council in Agreement With Reeve as to 1926 Policy

Out of the discussion relative to the levying of an improvement tax in Esquimalt of a twenty-five per cent. basis at a meeting called last night at the Rex Theatre, with all the members of the Municipal Council attending, arose a conflict between Reeve R. P. Matheson and Ex-Reeve Alexander Lockley, which resulted in a challenge emanating from the former for a public debate. Reeve Matheson, defending the action of the council in placing on Esquimalt the additional burden of an improvement tax this year, precipitated a verbal attack from Ex-Reeve Lockley. The two had heated words.

Reeve Matheson, the first speaker, declared that the meeting had been called for the purpose of showing to the ratepayers how the municipality's business was run and the reason for the levying of the improvement tax. The assessment situation had been the deciding factor in the adoption of the improvement tax system, he said. Shrinkage of values made it necessary. Lands were reverting to municipalities throughout British Columbia and the problem was increasing in seriousness from year to year, he pointed out.

ASSESSMENTS DROP

In 1921, he said, the taxable assessed valuation of property in Esquimalt was $4,571,000, approximately, he said. In 1924 this figure had dropped to $3,183,000. At the same time the mill rate necessarily increased. Last year the assessed valuation was $3,116,000, with the blanket reduction made by the assessor. All were agreed on the council that the assessor's adjustments had been wise, said the Reeve, but on top of this some persons asked for further decreases.

Reeve Matheson pointed out furthermore that the loss of the Esquimalt Waterworks property and water mains had meant a decrease of taxable property of $102,000 in round figures. Here was a drop of $2,700 in the total of taxes to be collected. Besides this the municipality lost the assessed valuation on reverted property and the income from various other sources, such as government grants, liquor profits, parimutuel receipts and other things were much less. All these taken into consideration, an improvement tax was the sole means of salvation, he declared.

CAST NO REFLECTIONS

Even with the improvement tax added, there was not the same volume of taxes as was obtainable last year for the council of 1926 to work with, said the speaker. He blamed no-one for the situation, he said, and cast no reflections on the work of the councils of the past.

He referred to the fact that big property owners, such as the Hudson's Bay Company, were selling property at far less than the assessed valuation. The council was forced to give lower assessments on this Hudson's Bay land, for the company always had recourse to the courts. This should be avoided, he said, for the courts would cut the assessments even more than the council had done.

Reeve Matheson went into figures showing that the expenditures of the council last year and the estimated expenditure this year were in no way excessive as compared with those of previous municipal governments. The big overdraft at the bank from last year made the 1926 levy higher, which accounted, in some measure, for the necessity of the improvement tax, he said.

UNFAIR DEMANDS

That the hospitals demanded seventy cents per day per patient from Esquimalt for every person from the municipality that was under medical treatment there, was a fact that was bemoaned by all, said the speaker. There would be some redress, he felt sure, for the Union of British Columbia Municipalities would surely take the matter up, and the efforts of this body would not likely prove futile, he thought. The hospitals already received generous support from the Provincial Government, but not satisfied with this made demands on the municipalities which were generally deemed excessive, he declared.

Taking it on the whole, the expense to which they were put by the new Hospital Act, the loss of the taxes from the waterworks, the cuts in the liquor profits, pari mutuel receipts, and so on, all meant a great loss to a small municipality, declared the reeve. He hoped, he said, that he had made the council's position clear.

It was during the Reeve's address that Mr. Lockley interrupted with his questions. He challenged various statements as made by the Reeve, with the result that the challenge was accepted. It was decided, both being agreeable, that at some future date they would meet in open debate on the subject of the improvement tax and on the public platform thresh out the whole question. Mr. Lockley said that for every point the speaker had made he would present some refutable.

NO-ONE TO BLAME

Councillor Pomeroy, chairman of the evening, spoke briefly following the Reeve's address. He blamed no-one, he said, for the present condition of affairs. An improvement tax was necessary, all were agreed. He had been against it before, but there was no alternative. He said that Reeve Matheson had been misunderstood when Mr. Lockley accused him of blaming some previous council for all the trouble that the municipality faced to-day. He understood the Reeve to say that he blamed no-one, and that was his own belief, he declared.

It was difficult to realize why taxes had jumped, unless one studied the whole situation carefully, said Councillor Pomeroy. He went over somewhat the same ground on which the Reeve had touched, showed how impossible it was to force the assessments of big land owners into high figures while those of the small property-owner were reduced. The assessments were founded upon the actual value of the land, he said, and the courts would cut them still further than did the council, he assured his audience.

The shrinkage of assessments was the only thing which he could blame, together with the reversion of property, for the year's problems in taxation. But he foresaw a change in the immediate future. Others had passed through equally trying times and this year, he believed, was Esquimalt's most arduous. He merely had to point to the difference between the unpaid taxes in 1921 and those of 1925, to give his hearers something tangible, he said. In 1921 they amounted to $6,086, and in 1925 were no less than $31,589. Such a difference could not but have a detrimental effect upon the finances of a municipality, he pointed out.

Councillor Heald said that the Reeve and Councillor Pomeroy had dealt fairly with the old councils, and that although there might be some figures which the former had advanced which he might criticize, he was in agreement with the remainder of the council that an improvement tax this year was an absolute necessity. It was unavoidable, he declared, on account of the automatic shrinkage of assessments.

UNANIMOUS IN DECISION

Councillor Neild stated that the council had been unanimous in its decision to levy the improvement tax this year. It was not fair for one man to be given the responsibility for such a thing, he said. He for one was ready to accept his full share of the responsibility for such an action. The Reeve alone could not have carried out such a plan. He believed that the remainder of the council would readily support him in his statements and that they felt as he did.

The meeting, which was well attended, was punctuated with questions from the audience, many of which were timely, and all were answered to the best of the ability of the speakers.

OTTAWA CUSTOMS DEBATE TO LEAD TO A DIVISION

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sion or a desire to help those with whom he had to work during his public business.

Would it not be better, asked Mr. Mercier, to take this opportunity of educating the public to the sterner code? Would it not be better to teach the lesson that a voter can not always depend on the benevolence of his representatives in Parliament or the humanity of a minister?

Concluding his speech Mr. Mercier reviewed the work of the committee.

MERCIER COMPLIMENTED

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, complimented Mr. Mercier on his speech and on his work as chairman of the customs committee. Mr. Stevens thought he detected in Mr. Mercier's speech a consciousness "that there has been serious dereliction of duty on the part of public men." He had uttered, "out of the goodness of his heart," a plea for those who had been guilty of such dereliction.

Mr. Stevens believed the result of the customs inquiry had justified the charges he made in the House at the beginning of the session and which, he thought, were now proved to have been based on facts.

Mr. Stevens paid tribute in passing to the work of R. P. Sparks and those associated with him in the business men's investigation of smuggling.

MINISTER'S COURSE

With the larger part of the report Mr. Stevens was in entire accord. He regretted it did not contain, however, a finding with regard to the conduct of the Minister of Customs.

The Customs Department had been degenerating in efficiency for some time and during recent years at an accelerated rate, said Mr. Stevens. Hon. Jacques Bureau, former Minister, had been derelict in his duties as a minister, he said.

FAVORITISM CLAIMED

"He perverted his opportunities of service to the state to the distribution of indulgence to his favorites," said Mr. Stevens, referring to Mr. Bureau. "The vast revenues the department collected, amounting to over $300,000,000 annually, which he ought to have jealously guarded, were left unprotected. High officials with a long career of faithful service were debauched by him and must now pass out of the picture in shame."

His conduct was well known to the Prime Minister and his associates, yet he had been allowed to resign and had been rewarded with a seat in the Senate, "while his puppets are driven out of the service," he continued.

Mr. Stevens proceeded to quote correspondence which passed between R. P. Sparks, president of the Commercial Intelligence Association and the Prime Minister in which Mr. Sparks drew the attention of Premier King to the conditions in the Customs Department.

DESCRIBED AS WEAK

The laxity of Hon. Jacques Bureau, "and his countenancing of evildoers was well known to the Prime Minister long, long ago, "declared Mr. Stevens. "It was not lack of legislation, but weak administration that caused the breakdown."

Mr. Stevens said the evidence showed motor thefts and smuggling were intimately associated.

"Case after case was sumbitted which showed professional automobile thieves found in the Customs Department a haven of refuge wherein to cover up their nefarious traffic," he declared.

TREATY WITH U.S.

With the laws of the United States, Mr. Stevens said, he had nothing to do. A treaty, however, had been signed over a year ago between Canada and the United States to suppress smuggling, narcotics and liquor. Parliament and the country had understood the treaty was primarily for the suppression of smuggling into Canada.

"I want to say to this House I believe the conduct of the officials under this administration ought to be condemned without any measure of consideration for deliberately conniving at the violation of the general terms of the treaty," declared Mr. Stevens.

Evidence disclosed before the committee, he said, had demonstrated wholesale commercial smuggling was practiced. The audits, admittedly very incomplete, had disclosed losses subject to possible recovery of over $1,750,000. Actions at law to recover ought to be taken forthwith, he said.

REGINA CHARGES

Mr. Stevens spoke of a new case which he said had arisen at Regina, too late to be submitted to the committee.

"It is my duty now to give the House a case which does not appear in the evidence but which makes abundantly clear the hopelessness of allowing the Government or this Minister to administer this department," he said.

Some weeks ago there had come to his attention particulars of serious frauds on the excise branch at Regina, he said. It was a police case requiring careful secret handling. He had turned all his information over to the Deputy Minister of Customs, who had enlisted the aid of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. A special operative had been dispatched to Regina and he had unearthed a fraud and made two arrests. This operative had retained J. F. Bryant, K.C., and together they had worked up the case.

The local Liberals at Regina, however, said Mr. Stevens, had got wind of it and the result was that Ottawa had interfered with the prosecution. The operative of the Mounted Police had been recalled on an excuse that he was required as a witness in Montreal. Bryant, Mr. Stevens said, had been "fired" and one Anderson, secretary of the local Liberal Association, had been retained to handle the case.

"Here we have once again proof the old system of ministerial interference is persisting," Mr. Stevens said.

READ LETTERS

He read a letter he had written to Premier King which he said set out the facts of this case. Mr. Stevens then read a reply to his letter received from Premier King. The Prime Minister, in his communication enclosed memoranda from Commissioner C. Starnes of the Mounted Police respecting the Regina case and also the case of one Cohen, Montreal. The report stated Cohen was to come up in Montreal for voluntary statement this month. With regard to the Regina case, it was stated in one of the memoranda that the secret agent employed had not been removed from Regina and that has absence was only for the purpose of giving evidence in Montreal. It was intended, Commissioner Starnes stated, to ask for an adjournment of the Regina case for seven days to give the secret agent an opportunity to be back in Regina for the hearing of the case.

BRYANT ACTIVE POLITICALLY

Premier King interrupted to state Mr. Bryant was the president of the Conservative organization of Regina and had been a provincial candidate.

Mr. Stevens asked when it had become a crime for a citizen to be a member of the Tory Party. The Regina case had involved intricate investigation, and the policeman had secured Mr. Bryant to guide him.

"Then when they succeeded in apprehending some of the offenders there was a change in counsel," said Mr. Stevens. "Why? for purely political purposes."

He would like to draw attention to the feeling in the minds of the public that whenever responsible officers seemed to be doing their duty there would appear on the scene, through some "subterranean" channel, an individual who would interferen with the prosecution.

BOIVIN SPOKE

Hon. G. H. Boivin, Minister of Customs and Excise, took up his defence following the speech of Mr. Stevens.

Mr. Boivin referred to the case of the barge Tremblay and the charge that alcohol from the barge had been sold denatured at an excessively low rate to the Dominion Distilleries.

Mr. Boivin charged Conservatives with "petty, picayune political tactics." He produced a letter from the Quebec Liquor Commission to Hon. Jacques Bureau stating the Quebec Commission could not purchase the liquor. This, Mr. Boivin asserted, disposed of the charge the department might have got a higher price from the liquor commission.

TREATY CARRIED OUT

Mr. Boivin declared instructions had already been issued in his department to live up to the terms of the anti-smuggling treaty with the United States.

Turning to the Moses Aziz case, he said the charge against him was that he had listened to the representations of a member of Parliament before he had asked for the issuance of a warrant of commitment. Mr. Boivin declared Aziz had been found guilty three weeks before he knew he might be the Minister of Customs.

The case, he said, had first come before Mr. Boivin two days after he had been sworn in. Mr. Farrow, Deputy Minister of Customs, had told Mr. Boivin he had authority to act in the matter.

GAVE EVIDENCE

Mr. Boivin said there had been two considerations before him when he took the step he did—(1) a letter from Preventive Officer Stewart of that point that Aziz had turned Kin's evidence in another case, and (2) another letter from Mr. Veniot that the actual smuggling in the Aziz case had taken place before the new act had come into force, which made smuggling an indictable offence.

NO INTERFERENCE

Mr. Boivin declared he had not interfered with any judge in the Aziz case. He had only deferred incarceration of the man until Mr. Robichaud, the member, had been given an opportunity to be heard. Mr. Boivin said he would have done the same thing if the Conservative member had made a similar request. He read a letter from the Deputy Minister of Justice stating he had been within his authority in the matter.

Mr. Boivin at one point said he had had a clash with Mr. Meighen, Conservative leader. Mr. Boivin declared Mr. Meighen would crucify his own brother in order to save the Conservative Party.

Mr. Boivin is to continue his speech to-night.

It is expected a division will be taken in the early hours of to-morrow morning.

END OF SESSION

In making its decision on the customs report of the House will be disposing of the last large item of business of this session. Certain estimates remain to be voted, but it is expected prorogation will soon come.

Sidney

Special to The Times

Sidney, June 22.—The North Saanich Social Club held a very enjoyable evening on Saturday in their club hall on Breed's Cross Road. They were to have held a hot dog picnic on the beach at Patricia Bay, but this had to be postponed owing to an unfavorable tide. The evening started with seven tables of progressive five hundred, the winners of the prizes were Miss Carter and V. Nunn. A delicious supper was served by a committee of lady members, after which dancing was enjoyed until the end of the evening. Music was supplied by Miss A. Lorenzen and W. Bosher.

Recent guests at the Sidney Hotel were H. F. Elsden of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. L. George and family of Duncan, T. B. Parnell, Mr. Mordhorst and F. F. Thompson of Seattle.

Mrs. Canell and Miss Doris Canell have returned to Vancouver after spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Coward of Fifth Street.

Miss Annie Lorenzen, who has been attending Normal School in Victoria where she passed her examinations, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lorenzen of School Cross Road.

Miss Florence Hambley of Victoria spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hambley of Fourth Street.

Mrs. Bowman of Ardmore, Patricia Bay, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcox, of Cordova Bay, at the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. White and baby are staying with Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith of the Orchards.

Mrs. Stuart and family of Victoria spent the week end at their Summer cottage at Deep Bay.

Miss Bedford, who has recently arrived in Victoria from Montreal, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. France of Queen's Avenue.

B. Erb of Gordon Head was visiting friends here at the week end.

Miss Dolly Bowcott of Queen's Avenue is spending a week in Victoria.

G. Copeland has returned to his home on Saturna Island after spending a fortnight in Resthaven.

Miss Olive Gilman of Victoria spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilman of Second Street.

Miss Gladys Bowcott of Victoria was out for the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bowcott, of Queen's Avenue.

Mrs. G. Payne has returned to Saturna Island after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H Payne of Ali Bay.

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Over 2,500 people were on hand. Of this number 184 were from Victoria Lodge No. 1390, and representatives were present from as far south as Portland.

The Victoria contingent journeyed by automobiles to Sidney, thence ferry to Roche Harbor and by auto from there to Friday Harbor.

Many interesting events were held and the band of Victoria Lodge were awarded first prize (a cup and baton) in the competitions for Moose bands, the judges giving them full points.

The band delighted the citizens of Friday Harbor and Roche Harbor with selections during the evening.

In the tug-of-war Victoria were nosed out by the Seattle team, the judge giving the latter the decision after an exciting finish.

A meeting of the executive of the Northwest Moose Association was held during the day at which J. F. Pearce of Victoria was present in his capacity of secretary-treasurer.

SONS OF ENGLAND ENTERTAIN ENGLISH FOOTBALL TEAM

Lodge Pride of the Island Sons of England were hosts to the visiting members of the English football team Monday night at the City Temple Hall. On the arrival of the team Bro. Frank Tupman, president of the lodge, called the meeting to order and the National Anthem was sung, after which Bro. Tupman welcomed them in the name of the lodge. Manager Kingscote replied on behalf of the footballers and members and friends joined in singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow." A lively frolic was then held in the basement.

Jack Pullen's S.O.E. orchestra played the latest dance music in the hall. Over six hundred people were present.

DETROIT EXPEDITION WILL MAKE ANOTHER ATTEMPT WITH PLANES

Seward, June 22—The Detroit Arctic Expedition has 1,600 gallons of gasoline stored in Seward, which will likely be shipped to Point Barrow, on the Arctic Coast, for use by aeroplanes in another attempt to find land in the Arctic.

Lieut. Carl B. Ellson, an Alaskan aviator of the expedition, before leaving here for Seattle, said he was convinced that the undertaking will be resumed this Summer.

Ellson expressed an opinion that light aeroplanes are more suitable for Arctic explorations than heavy ones, because they do not land with as great a speed and consequently, are less easily damaged.

He attributed failure of the undertaking to lack of good flying weather. The average number of days a month on which visibility is good is five.

Sacramento, Cal., June 22.—Governor Richardson's office here has requested Secretary of State Kelloggs to obtain the extradition of Morris Appleman, who is being held in Montreal on a grand larceny charge issued in San Francisco.

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RAIL BOARD HOLDS SESSIONS IN REGINA

Regina, June 22.—The Railway Commission is in session here to-day and will sit again to-morrow, and possibly Thursday. There is a long list of arguments to hear in connection with general freight rate investigation.

The members engaged here are Chairman McKeown and Commissioners Thomas, Vien and Frank Oliver.

Yesterday, when the hearing began, the submissions of the Province of Saskatchewan regarding the necessity of low rates for the export of agricultural products and for importing building materials for the development of the province and the implements of agricultural production opened the list. Hon. J. A. Cross, Attorney-General of the Province, outlined the case for Saskatchewan in a brief prior to the detailed presentation by W. H. McEwen of Regina. The Attorney-General's remarks as to the object of the investigation were replied to in brief by F. Watson, for the Canadian National Railways and George Stephens of Winnipeg for the Canadian Pacific Railway.

INVITED BY BOARD

Mr. Cross said representatives of the Province were not appearing as litigants, but at the invitation of the Railway Board to assist it in the difficult task imposed by the order-in-council which called for a general freight rate investigation.

Saskatchewan, he said, was in a state of constant development, the last Federal census showing that over seventy-one per cent. of the population was rural.

In view of these facts, said Mr. Cross, he submitted that special consideration should be shown with respect to rates on the export of agricultural products. On incoming rates, he continued, special consideration should be given building materials, which were essential to the physical development of the Province, and more particularly to what were now termed the implements of production. With this in view, said the Attorney-General, the Province of Saskatchewan would later contend that rates in Western Canada were higher than those in the East on similar commodities. As a matter of fact, he stated this had previously been contended and had actually been established and admitted before authorities in April, 1914. This was prima facie evidence of discrimination against the West and was what the order-in-council was directed against.

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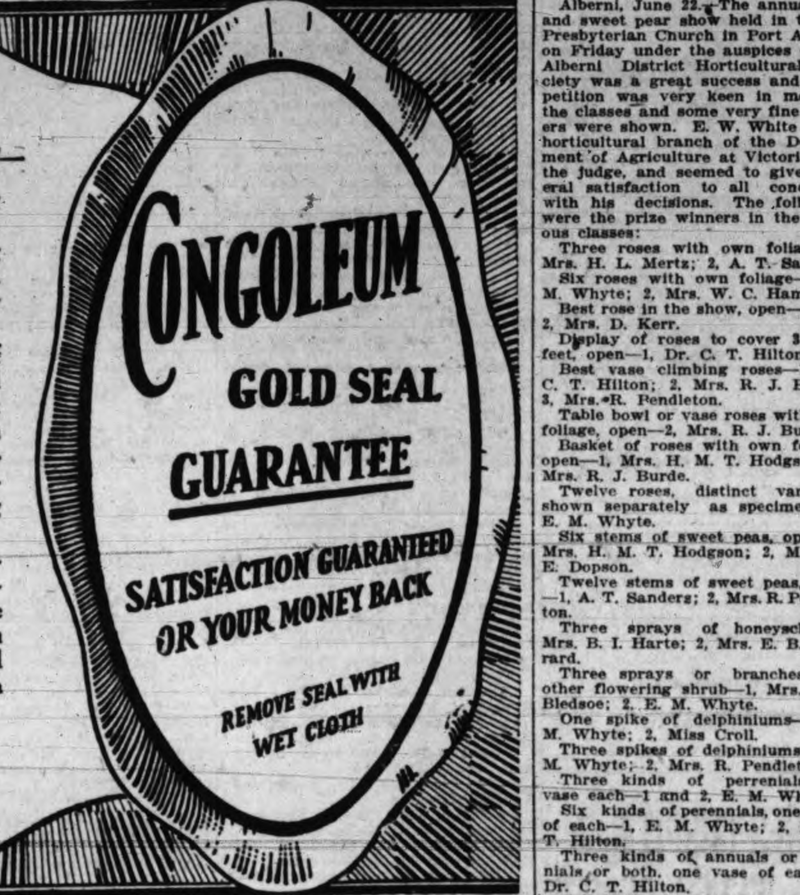

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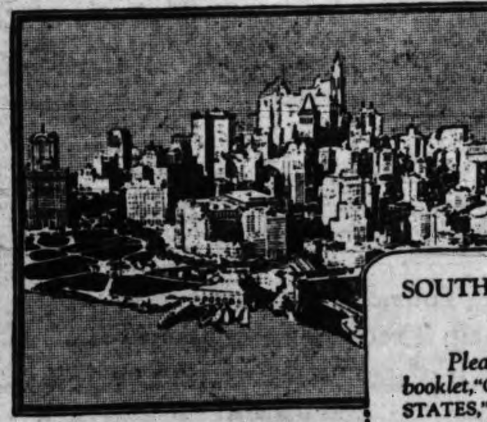

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Vancouver Island News

ROSES AND SWEET PEAS ARE SHOWN AT PORT ALBERNI

Horticultural Society Sponsors Successful Competition

Special to The Times

Alberni, June 22.—The annual rose and sweet pear show held in the old Presbyterian Church in Port Alberni on Friday under the auspices of the Alberni District Horticultural Society was a great success and competition was very keen in most of the classes and some very fine flowers were shown. E. W. White of the horticultural branch of the Department of Agriculture at Victoria was the judge, and seemed to give general satisfaction to all concerned with his decisions. The following were the prize winners in the various classes:

Three roses with own foliage—1, Mrs. H. L. Mertz; 2, A. T. Sanders.

Six roses with own foliage—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Mrs. W. C. Hamly.

Best rose in the show, open—1 and 2, Mrs. D. Kerr.

Display of roses to cover 3 by 4 feet, open—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Best vase climbing roses—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton; 2, Mrs. R. J. Burde; 3, Mrs. R. Pendleton.

Table bowl or vase roses with own foliage, open—2, Mrs. R. J. Burde.

Basket of roses with own foliage, open—1, Mrs. H. M. T. Hodgson; 2, Mrs. R. J. Burde.

Twelve roses, distinct varieties, shown separately as specimens—1, E. M. Whyte.

Six stems of sweet peas, open—1, Mrs. H. M. T. Hodgson; 2, Mrs. M. E. Dopson.

Twelve stems of sweet peas, open—1, A. T. Sanders; 2, Mrs. R. Pendleton.

Three sprays of honeysckle—1, Mrs. B. I. Harte; 2, Mrs. E. B. Garrard.

Three sprays or branches, any other flowering shrub—1, Mrs. J. F. Bledsoe; 2, E. M. Whyte.

One spike of delphiniums—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Miss Croll.

Three spikes of delphiniums—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Mrs. R. Pendleton.

Three kinds of perrenials, one vase each—1 and 2, E. M. Whyte.

Six kinds of perennials, one vase of each—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Three kinds of annuals or biennials or both, one vase of each—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Collection of wild flowers by child under fifteen—1, Ronald Hanson.

Three pinks—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Mrs. M. E. Dopson.

Three stems of Japanese iris—1, Mrs. R. Pendleton; 2, Mrs. H. M. T. Hodgson.

Spanish iris—1, Mrs. A. G. Freeze; 2, Mrs. E. B. Garrard.

Three English or Dutch iris—1 and 2, E. M. Whyte.

Six stems of iris—1, Miss A. Cree; 2, E. M. Whyte.

Twelve stems of iris—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Twelve blooms of true small violas—1, Mrs. J. M. Thomson; 2, E. M. Whyte.

Twelve blooms tufted pansies or violas—1, Mrs. J. Hanson; 2, Mrs. J. M. Thomson.

Twelve blooms of pansies—1 and 2, E. M. Whyte; 3, Dr. Hilton.

One stem of any other bulbous lily—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Best bloom or spray not otherwise provided for in schedule—1, Mrs. A. G. Freeze; 2, A. T. Sanders.

W. H. Robertson, who had agreed to judge the flowers, was unable at the last moment to make the trip, and sent Mr. White to take his place.

TOURNAMENT HELD CHEMAINUS COURTS

Home Players Beat Strathcona 185 Games to 103

June 22.—On Sunday, June 20 a very pleasant day was spent on the Chemainus lawn tennis courts, when a tournament was held, the players being Chemainus vs. Strathcona.

The results follow, visitors being mentioned first in every instance:

Men's Doubles

A. Molesworth and S. Langton lost to B. Devitt and H. Monk, 3-9.

L. Calnan and C. Meredith lost to V. Pritchard and G. McInnes, 3-9.

L. Calnan and C. Meredith lost to B. Devit and H. Monk, 4-8.

A. Molesworth and S. Langton lost to V. Pritchard and G. McInnes, 3-9.

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Calnan and Miss Clark lost to Mrs. Mortimer and Mrs. Drury, 4-8.

Miss Christison and Miss Furlonge lost to Mrs. Pritchard and Miss McInnes, 2-10.

Miss Christison and Miss Furlonge lost to Mrs. Mortimer and Mrs. Drury, 3-9.

Mrs. Calnan and Miss Clark lost to Mrs. Pritchard and Miss McInnes, 4-8.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Clarke and A. Molesworth lost to Mrs. Drury and B. Devitt, 3-9.

Miss Furlonge and L. Calnan tied with Mrs. Mortimer and H. Monk, 6-6.

Miss Christison and S. Langton lost to Mrs. Pritchard and Pritchard, 4-8.

Miss Furlonge and L. Calnan lost to Miss McInnes and G. McInnes, 3-9.

Mrs. Calnan and C. Meredith won from Mrs. Pritchard and Pritchard, 7-5.

Miss Christison and S. Langton lost to Miss McInnes and G. McInnes, 3-9.

Miss Furlonge and L. Calnan lost to Mrs. Drury and B. Devitt, 3-9.

Miss Christison and S. Langton lost to Mrs. Mortimer and H. Monk, 4-8.

Miss Clark and A. Molesworth lost to Mrs. Pritchard and Pritchard, 4-8.

Mrs. Calnan and C. Meredith lost to Miss McInnes and G. McInnes, 4-8.

Miss Christison and S. Langton lost to Mrs. Drury and B. Devitt, 4-8.

Mrs. Calnan and C. Meredith won from Mrs. Mortimer and H. Monk, 7-5.

Miss Furlonge and L. Calnan tied with Mrs. Pritchard and Pritchard, 6-6.

Miss Clark and A. Molesworth lost to Miss McInnes and G. McInnes, 5-7.

Total games, Strathcona 103; total games, Chemainus 185.

Chemainus, June 22.—The Rev. E. M. Cook, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Troop and Miss Robinson motored to Victoria yesterday to attend the Baptist Convention held in the capital city this week.

Mr. Cook also took a large bale of underclothing, dolls and hospital bandages and a book of fiction for the Cocanada mission in India. These goods are for a Christmas gift and will reach their destination in December.

Miss Dimmock and Miss Davie of New Westminster, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Chatters, Seaview House.

H. Howe and B. McBride were visitors to Duncan on Sunday.

The First Chemainus Company of Girl Guides has held its last meeting before going into camp, which will take place in about six weeks. Patrol Leader Enid Fraser of the Lily of the Valley patrol, won the award for the all-round guide. The Lily of the Valley patrol holds the Lang cup for the quarter. Guide Winnifred Lowe passed her tenderfoot test.

Gordon Smith, who sustained a fractured ankle and badly wounded foot when playing with Chemainus baseball team against the Commercial Travelers a week ago, is progressing favorably in the local hospital.

Mr. B. Thomas and party of friends were recent visitors to the capital city.

TELLS LADYSMITH OF NEW CATHEDRAL

A. R. Merrix is Speaker at Meeting in Parish Hall

Ladysmith, June 22.—An address on the new cathedral to be built in Victoria for the Anglican Church was given last night in the parish hall, Ladysmith, by A. R. Merrix. Rev. Edwin Moss presided at the meeting, which was attended by an interested audience of men and women.

Mr. Merrix referred to the cathedral as being the mother church of the diocese, from early days in Christian history to the present time, and pictured the influence of cathedrals as centres of worship, evangelistic and educational work, of social service and of the administrative affairs of the church. The urgent need of a new and larger cathedral in Victoria was presented.

After the address, it was decided to form a local committee which would co-operate with the diocesan committee and other parishes in enlisting support for the new cathedral W. Garner, principal of Ladysmith High School, accepted the position of convener of the local committee.

COWICHAN BAY INN OFFICIALLY OPENED

Yacht Club Dance First Function

Special to The Times

Cowichan Bay, June 21.—On Friday the official opening of the new Cowichan Bay Inn recently built by Mr. Mains of Duncan took place on the occasion of the annual Cowichan Bay Yacht Club dance, which was held there. Every preparation had been made by the management for the visitors' comfort. The lounge-room being used for dancing. Tables were arranged for bridge in an adjoining room. A large contingent arrived from Victoria, and at times the room was full to capacity. Schofield's orchestra supplied the music.

An excellent supper was provided by the hotel. In the bay shone lights from the many yachts and launches assembled for the 'morrow's regatta, making a charming scene from the veranda of the inn.

Upwards of 140 were present. The floor was in excellent condition, and all expressed themselves as enjoying the whole affair.

TWO SOCIALISTS BARRED FROM GREAT BRITAIN

London, June 22.—It was revealed in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government had refused to allow the Dutch Socialists Fimmen and Oudegeest to come to England to attend the International Labor Conference on emigration, now sitting here.

(Fimmen is president of the International Federation of Transport Workers and Oudegeest is head of the Dutch Labor Federation).

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary, said he had ascertained during the recent general strike that they had tried to interfere with British trade by arranging that British ships should be held up in foreign ports.

MOTORIST KILLED

Regina, June 22.—Jacob Kowl, a farmer living one-half mile from Leville, was instantly killed while driving from Ituna to Goode, Sask. His car, in which he was driving with two others, turned completely over and the driver lost his life, though his companions escaped injury.

BODY FOUND

Vancouver, June 22.—Lying face upwards in the water off No. 3 grain elevator here, the badly-decomposed body of a man believed to have been a negro, was discovered by elevator employees late yesterday afternoon. No means of identification were found. The body was dressed in khaki trousers, a black work shirt and a brown sweater.

NEW MARKETING BOARD IN BRITAIN

London, June 22 (Canadian Press Cable)—W. A. Wilson, agricultural product representative of Canada in the United Kingdom, has been appointed Canadian member of the official board organized to direct the marketing of Empire produce in Great Britain. The membership of the board was made known last night coincident with the announcement that Lieut.-Colonel L. C. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions, would act as chairman. Members will sit on the board as representatives of the British Isles, while the Dominions and colonies will have one member each.

Together with Mr. Amery and Mr. Wilson, the following were selected for the board: Hon. W. G. A. Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary of State for the Dominions; Ronald F. McNeill, member of the House of Commons for Canterbury; Lord Bledisloe, Under-Secretary of State for Agriculture; Capt. W. E. Elliott, Under-Secretary of State for Health in Scotland; Sir William Clerk, Sir Thomas Allen and W. S. Crawford, all for Great Britain; F. L. MacDougall for Australia, R. W. Forsyth for New Zealand, J. Dimond for South Africa, J. McNeill for the Irish Free State, H. A. F. Lindsay for India and Sir Edward Dawson for the colonies and protectorates.

Mr. Wilson has been connected with Canadian dairy product marketing for many years.

W. Hohenzollern Learns He is to Keep Property

Doorn, Holland, June 22—When the news that the proposal to confiscate the former Kaiser's property had failed to carry in Germany's nation-wide plebiscite was received at Doorn House, residence of the ex-ruler, Wilhelm Hohenzollern took the news calmly and there was no celebration of the event.

New York Praised For Hospitality

New York, June 22.—Advertising men from all parts of the British Empire have found New York so "wide open" that they do not have to be presented with a key to the city, Mayor Walker was told when he greeted them at the City Hall yesterday.

"We don't give keys any more," the mayor said.

"Oh," said Charles W. Stokes, vice-president of the Advertising Club of Montreal, "we don't need a key. The town is wide open."

A roar of laughter brought an explanation from Mr. Stokes.

"I mean New York's hospitality is so boundless, its facilities for making guests at home so great, that no magic sesame is necessary," he said.

The visitors were on their way to the Philadelphia convention of the Advertising Clubs of the World, which opened yesterday.

Sedition Fine is Imposed in Ireland

Dublin, June 22—Although he claimed he had been ignorant of the contents of documents found in his possession, Patrick Garland of New York yesterday was fined $250 on charges of conspiracy to spread sedition throughout the Irish Free State.

Garland, who was arrested last April on his arrival at Queenstown, entered a plea of guilty through his counsel, but maintained he was an innocent messenger and that his real purpose in coming to Ireland was to visit his sick mother.

NARCOTIC ARRESTS

New York, June 22.—Two men were arrested on the steps of the City Hall yesterday as they were pocketing money given them by a federal agent in payment, he said, for a quantity of a substance they believed to be heroin. With the arrests federal agents revealed three other men had been arrested at the same place last week.

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Women's Bloomers of Cotton Crepe Broadcloth, in a well-made and roomy style; in all the wanted light colors. Very special at, per pair .... 85¢

Children's Fancy Cotton Socks, Odd Lines to Clear at

Clearing odd lines and broken sizes of Children's Fancy Cotton Lisle Half and Three-quarter Length Socks. Formerly priced. Regular up to 90c. At 4 pairs for .. 95¢ } 4 PAIRS FOR ... 95c

Rubber Bathing Caps, 25c

Good Quality Rubber Bathing Caps in all the wanted gay colors; close fitting style and very special value at ... 25¢

French Kid Gloves 95c Per Pair

Clearing odd lines of fine French Kid Gloves, in black, white, tan, brown and grey; broken sizes. To clear at, per pair .... 95¢

Women's All Wool Knitted Bathing Suits, $2.69

Women's All Pure Wool Knitted Bathing Suits, in black, navy and scarlet trimmed with contrasting stripes; in sizes 36, 38 and 40. A real bargain at $2.69

Women's White Fugi Silk Sports Dresses at $6.90

Women's White Fugi Silk Sports Dresses, in a smart tailored style. An ideal sports dress for Summer wear. Splendid value at $6.90

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U. S. CONGRESS SESSION

Washington, June 22.—Upsetting the programme of Republican leaders, the House has declined to set a definite date for the close of the present session. By a vote of 191 to 133, a move sponsored by Representative Tilson, the Republican floor leader, to bring about adjournment on June 30 was defeated yesterday, for the time being at least.

PROHIBITION CHANGES

Los Angeles, Calif., June 22—Resignations of four prohibition agents were accepted to-day by R. F. Frith, prohibition administrator for Southern California and Arizona, making a total of seven since Frith announced a reorganization of his force a few days ago. He refused to give the names of the resigned agents, but said he had selected fifteen men whom he would recommend for appointment.

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IMMIGRATION DOUBLED

AGAINST THE CRY OF LOST AND vanishing population, part of the parrot-like platform patter of those politicians whose desperate scramble for party advantage blinds them to fact, may be set the immigration figures for the first three months of the present year. Here they are:

	1925	1926
British	4,358	6,026
United States	2,729	3,790
Other countries	3,705	12,133
Total	10,972	21,949
Returned Canadians	6,458	13,692

These statistics of new arrivals during the first quarter of 1926 show an increase over the corresponding three months of 1925 in respect of the British and American influx of 38 per cent. in each case; an increase of 227 per cent. in respect of those from other countries; and an advance of 112 per cent. in the number of Canadians returning from the United States after a period of not less than six months' residence there.

It is to be noted that during last year, the first year of the three-thousand family settlement scheme arranged by Hon. Mr. Robb with the British Government, 492 families arrived. Up to the middle of last month the number of families that had arrived since January of this year amounted to 708, bringing the total to that date up to 1,200. A further 490 families have been accepted for settlement this year, which will bring the total up to 1,692, aggregating 8,981 persons. For the most part, incidentally, the heads of these families are experienced in agriculture and in practically every instance they have enough capital to get a fair start, with, of course, some accommodation from the Land Settlement Branch.

Immigrants are also taking advantage of the low fares that went into effect last January, and there is reason to believe that when the figures for the first half of this year have been compiled they will show a substantial increase in the movement of homeseekers over that of 1925. Land sales in the West already indicate expanding activities on the part of farmers now established. Particularly is this noticeable among those farmers who have come to Canada from the United States, while figures of homestead entries in the first months of this year are much greater than the averages of the last few years.

There is also to be added on to this encouraging outlook the fact that the farmers of Western Canada have started upon the new season under the most favorable conditions. Their optimism, moreover, is reflected in the exceedingly active demand for farm equipment. This is not only good news for the Dominion as a whole; it promises additional business for British Columbia.

OUR FOOTBALL VISITORS

DOUBTLESS THERE ARE DOZENS OF football enthusiasts in this city who saw many of the old masters of the game in action in the Old Country who will look forward to to-morrow night's exhibition with more than ordinary enthusiasm and pleasure. In their day the names of Bloomer of Derby County, of Athersmith of Aston Villa, of Bassett of West Bromwich Albion, of Goalkeeper Doig of Sunderland, meant to them football to perfection. Supporters of the various clubs put their faith in certain combinations; for instance, every Aston Villa fan felt perfectly at ease if Spencer and Evans were in their full-back positions in front of agile "Bodger" Wilkes. And how "Steve" Bloomer worried every goalkeeper the moment he started one of his lightning runs from the half-way line! What a picture of graceful goal-tending Reader could always paint for West Bromwich Albion! His six-feet-two of physical perfection could shoot from one corner of the goal to the other with what seemed to be the minimum of effort. And then the contemporaries of Crabtree of Aston Villa were legion—all perfect in the half-back line. The name of Goodall, by the way, is not to be forgotten.

This will take many who will see the exhibition at the Royal Athletic Park to-morrow night back to the very early days of the present century, when quite a number of the teams which are now far from the category of top-notch performers were the pride of the First Division. Those were the days when such elevens as Preston North End and Everton were at the peak of their reputation. Happily, however, the visitors who are now in Victoria seem to have maintained the old standard of play and sportsmanship. Their tour across the Dominion so far has been marked by uninterrupted victories. Nor is there anything surprising in this. Football is virtually their business and the constant training and practice which they have to undergo gives them a combination which is almost as rhythmic as the swing of the professional golfer. None the less, the Englishmen may expect a run for their money to-morrow, and we trust that encounter will be one of the pleasant memories they will take away from Victoria.

KEEN DISAPPOINTMENT

THE CORRESPONDENCE COLUMNS OF the newspapers of this country are already beginning to bear witness to the keen disappointment which many people feel over the autocratic action of the Senate in throwing out the Old Age Pension bill. Here is a typical one, signed by "A Disgusted Ratepayer," and appearing in The Vancouver Daily Province:

It was with deep regret I read in your columns of the turning down of the Old Age Pension Bill and it verifies the old saying "Full self, nobody hungry."

What a bitter disappointment to the many deserving old people, many of whom gave their sons to help win the war, and who are now left, through no fault of their own, with the props taken from them and hopes shattered. Truly "man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn." I am sure the ratepayers would never grudge the small increase in their taxes to help such a worthy object. Pity it is that those who sit in power have their own pensions secure and I do not envy them their uneasy consciences when, resting on their oars (sorry I can not say "laurels"), they think of the many they could have helped and would not.

The author of the above letter may rest assured that the Senate majority has merely hastened the day when the perquisites of the Upper Chamber will be enjoyed only on merit and at the pleasure of the public. Meanwhile, however, it maintains its antiquated status and makes Canada a laughing stock for permitting herself to remain so far behind other Dominions in this respect.

PEANUT POLITICS

SOME OF THE CONSERVATIVE MEMbers of the House of Commons at Ottawa object to the money which has been spent on Canada House in London. They do not seem to be quite sure just what they would have done under the circumstances or how they would have done it. The fact that the arrangements to give this Dominion a standing advertisement in Great Britain, by housing its manifold activities under one roof instead of spreading them all over the city at considerable expense, were negotiated by the present Government appears to be enough to provoke their criticisms. This is amazing to several Old Country journals which have taken note of the debate on the subject and one of these sums up the general view of Canada in London as follows: "The complaints made recently in the Canadian House of Commons, we feel sure, are only technical. All Canadians who have seen this charming and dignified building must surely feel that it is only worthy of their great Dominion. Even if the leasehold did cost $1,000,000, and the furnishings $531,000, the money could not have been better spent, nor a more suitable site in the national place have been found. We Londoners are grateful for this noble addition to our city, and inevitably think of Canada more often and as a greater nation whenever we pass it." At any rate this investment has done a great deal more good to Canada than the tales of woe and blue ruin with which Mr. Meighen and his supporters regaled the country prior to the last election campaign. It has cost some money to correct the misrepresentations of which they were guilty.

The London Daily Mirror of recent date carries a picture and story of a Newport man who sustained a broken neck and a dislocated spine eight months ago. He is now cured and back at work. Evidence again that medical science is accomplishing what used to be thought impossible.

A writer in The New Republic wonders if the people of the United States realizes just how silent President Coolidge is, and then goes on to say that, "in his quiet way," he unburdens himself each year of "words enough in public addresses to fill two fair-sized novels, and preserves meanwhile a reputation as the silent man in the White House." "Silent?" exclaims the writer: "So is Dr. Crane!"

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

COMMENT.

From The Ottawa Citizen

Steve Donoghue, the champion English jockey, tipped Colorado to win the Derby. Another authority tipped Lord Astor's Swift and Sure. Lady Astor is reported to have told an audience of Welsh miners that she fancied Lex, Sir Abe Bailey's nag. But another horse, Coronach, won easily. Still there are people who will keep on paying money for tips on horse racing.

THE RIGHT MAN FOR WASHINGTON

From The Ottawa Citizen

The report in The Evening Citizen that Vincent Massey may be appointed Canadian Minister at Washington would seem to be about the likeliest, so far, of numerous names mentioned for the post. The government has acted wisely in delaying the appointment for several years, until the right man could be found.

Other eminent citizens there are in Canada who would make creditable representatives of the Dominion. But the cost of maintaining an establishment in Washington is likely to be more than the amount voted by parliament. Very few men, after years of public service in Canada, come through with more than sufficient to live in modest circumstances.

There are exceptions who are reputed to have grown wealthy at the expense of the public domain. But Canada would better continue to rely on the good offices of the British ambassador than send a crooked pillar of society to Washington.

Vincent Massey combines the rare qualities of public spirit, economic independence, executive ability and breadth of vision. He is an educated citizen, interested in art and culture, and active in many good causes, quite apart from being one of the younger business men of the Dominion. There is need for more of such men in public life at home.

Experience at Washington would be invaluable, however, for any future service which Mr. Massey may be called upon to give in Canadian public life. It is to be hoped that the Prime Minister can prevail upon him to accept the post. Like Sir Henry Thornton's appointment, it would be another encouraging instance of the position finding the right man.

Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate, Des Moines

"TO PLAY FAST AND LOOSE"

This expression is derived from the old cheating game, "pricking the belt," which, in the modified form, "pricking the garter," may still be found at English fairs and races. The victim was invited to stick a skewer through a folded belt, so as to pin it to a table, whereupon the other, taking the two ends, showed the belt to be loose, and that it had not been made fast at all.

Canadian Questions and Answers

CANADIAN IMMIGRATION

Q. What is the present immigration into Canada from the U.S.?

A. During the fiscal year 1925,26, immigrants entered Canada from the United States and during the same period 47,221 Canadians were reported as returning from the United States. As to immigration of all kinds, every month since November 1925, shows an increase over the corresponding month of the previous year.

PROVINCIAL PREMIERS AND LIEUT.-GOVERNORS

Q.—Who are the Provincial Premiers and Lieut.-Governors?

A.—Ontario, Hon. G. H. Ferguson, Premier; Col. Henry Cockshutt, Lt.-Gov. Quebec, Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Premier; Narcisse Perodeau, Lt.-Gov. Nova Scotia, Hon. Edgar N. Rhodes, Premier; J. C. Tory, Lt.-Gov. New Brunswick, Hon. John Bracken, Premier; Sir James Albert Manning Aikins, Lt. Gov. British Columbia, Hon John Oliver, Premier; Robert Randolph Bruce, Lt.-Gov. Prince Edward Island, Hon James D. Stewart, Premier; Frank Rochard Heartz, Lt.-Gov. Alberta, Hon John Edward Brownlie, Premier; William Egbert; M.D.C.M., Lt.-Gov. Saskatchewan, Hon J. G. Gardiner, Premier; Hon. H. W. Newlands, K.C., Lt.-Gov.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely at the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

OAK BAY BY-ELECTION

To the Editor:—Your editorial in your issue of June 18 is by no means correst, concerning myself. I have served as a member of the council in 1924 and 1925. In the January election I was elected to the police board for a two-year term, but have never contested a seat on the school board.

My record as resident in the municipality is fourteen years.

H. LLEWELYN N. EDWARDS,
Police Commissioner and ex-Councillor, District of Oak Bay.
June 19, 1926.

THE BEER PETITION

To the Editor:—We wonder if all readers of your paper realize the meaning of the petition at present being circulated in the city by friends of the brewers? It is for the purpose of showing the Government that forty per cent of the voters are in favor of sale of beer by the glass, to men and women, in Victoria, and so justify the beer plebiscite they wish to institute. It is rumored that the twenty odd canvassers employed are paid for each signature they secure; we know that they are trying by every conceivable argument to induce people to sign whether they want this sale or beer by the glass or not, to obtain the coveted forty per cent, and the last printed statistics show that Victoria Government liquor stores, in six months, sold $3,527 worth of beer to licensees and a total of $589,572 permit hard liquors and beer sales! Has this beer business helped you, or any reputable, necessary business—except possibly an undertaker's—to prosperity, or reduced your "bad habits"? Then do not sign this petition aimed at increasing sale of beer in Victoria.

W.C.T.U.

CARPENTERS' STRIKE

To the Editor:—May I request a space in your paper in answer to "Non-Union Carpenter?"

Every carpenter whom the union men have persuaded into union principles and laying down tools with them, has registered every morning at the Labor Hall with the union men.

Moreover, they do not require his reminder as to what constitutes the present laws.

He does not give his name, but his type of letter is recognized.

The average working man of today is educated to the knowledge that he has to fight for sufficient to raise his family to the standard demanded by present-day civilization, in much the same manner that nations have had to fight for liberty—but the first instinct of every law-abiding citizen is to keep within the law.

He does not demand more than enough to salt away or spend on riotous pleasure, but just enough to barter for decent living and to be able to meet the obligations incurred by their increasing families, and this cannot be done on $6 a day when a carpenter on an average loses three months' work in a year.

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The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, June 22.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over this Province and fair, warm weather is general on the Pacific Slope. Rain is reported in most parts of the Prairie Provinces.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.19; temperature, maximum yesterday, 75; minimum, 57; wind, 4 miles S.E.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .10; weather, rain.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 63; minimum, 54; wind, 12 miles S.W.; weather, fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 88; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles S.E.; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S.W.; weather, cloudy.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 77; rain, .77.

Calgary—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 42.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 44.

Qu'Appelle—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 42.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 50.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	75	57
Vancouver	76	58
Penticton	78	..
Toronto	72	..
Ottawa	76	..
St. John	72	..
Halifax	66	..

GANGES HOSPITAL ISSUES REPORT

Finances For Twelfth Year of Lady Minto Hospital Satisfactory

Gratifying news of the finances of the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital at Ganges is given in the twelfth annual financial report just issued to the subscribers.

The audited report, which is for the year ending March 31, is as follows:

The expenditures were greater than for the previous year, but this is largely accounted for by having paid a three-year insurance premium, and having had the hospital roof painted, these two items costing approximately $260.

SUBSCRIPTIONS LESS

The past year has been a very satisfactory one in most respects, and it is pleasant to be able to report a balance of $839.36 in cash in the bank and on hand at April 1, 1926. The only disappointing item in the way of receipts is that of subscriptions, which are about $700 less than last year.

The number of hospital days was 1,744, a considerable increase over the previous year. Due to this fact, the per capita cost for the year has been reduced to $2.94, being the lowest for several years.

Cash donations have been much larger this year, and the thanks of the management are due to the Sunshine Guild, Ganges Chapter I.O. D.E., Women's Institute, Fulford, and the Hospital House Committee, and a number of individual donors, who have assisted very greatly with the expenses of the hospital and in providing necessary equipment.

It is also a pleasure to draw attention once more to the large number of people who continue to supply fruit, vegetables, produce and other articles, too numerous to mention, showing a practical and sympathetic interest in the institution.

The receipts were: Cash in bank April 1, 1925, $1,150.96; cash on hand, $165.20; patients' fees, $1,441.86; donations, $430.05; subscriptions, $849.40; Government per capita grants, $1,535.00; liquor board profits, $340.75; miscellaneous, $61.69. Total, $5,974.91.

Expenditures—Salaries and wages, $2,350.10; groceries, drugs and miscellaneous supplies, $1,643.61; water and fuel, $261.91; laundry, $391.10; stamps, stationery, telephone, $82.98; insurance, $180; repairs, maintenance and improvements, $213.85; legal expenditures, $22. Total, $5,135.55; leaving cash in bank, $616.29; cash on hand, $223.07.

Accounts receivable—Due to hospital from patients, $3,242.77; Government per capita grants for March, $175.90; total, $3,421.67.

Accounts payable are as follows—For salaries and wages, $247.55; for water and fuel, $18.05; for groceries, drugs and miscellaneous supplies, $205.31; for laundry, $61.20; for miscellaneous, $8.16. Total $540.27.

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AWARDS AT ANNUAL SHOW AT GANGES

Attractive Display of Flowers and Vegetables Features Exhibition

Special to The Times

Ganges, June 22—The annual flower and vegetable show held by the Guild of Sunshine, proceeds for the Gulf Island Hospital, was held on Saturday afternoon. Although it rained most of the day there was a good exhibit of flowers and vegetables. The judge, Mr. Savory of Victoria, said the blooms were very nice and there were several entries in all the sections.

Miss Smith and Mrs. C. Beddis judged the decorated tables and children's paintings; Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Toynbee, Mrs. E. Nelson, Mrs. G. J. Mouat and Mrs. M. Mouat were in charge of the tea; Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. C. Scott had the ice cream and candies. During the afternoon Mrs. M. Palmer and Mrs. Clifford Scott played several numbers on the piano.

The children's sports were in charge of G. Ringwood and A. P. Robertson. The prize winners for these were:

Little tots, five and under—1, Ivan Mouat; 2, Arthur Stacey.

Girls, seven and under—1, Cara Ringwood; 2, M. Rowan.

Boys, seven and under—1, Michel Ley; 2, Douglas Parsons.

Girls, ten and under—1, Bride Wilson; 2, Betty Lee.

Boys, ten and under—1, Percy Nelson; 2, Gordon Bittancourt.

Girls, twelve and under—1, Bride Wilson; 2, Phyllis Beech.

Boys, twelve and under—1, Percy Nelson; 2, G. Bittancourt.

Girls, open—1, Bride Wilson; 2, Nancy Elliott.

Boys, open—1, Graham Shove; 2, Jim McCallum.

Sack race—1, Harry Simpson; 2, George Elliott.

Boys, three-legged race—1, Joe Garner and J. McCallum; 2, Collin Mouat and Archie Urquhart.

Obstacle race—1, Joe Garner; 2, J. McCallum.

PRIZE LIST

Collection of six perennials—1, Mrs. Wetherel; 2, Mrs. G. Mouat.

Collection of three perennials—1, Phylis Taylor; 2, M. G. Mouat.

Collection of three annuals—1, Miss Hamilton; 2, Mrs. G. Ringwood.

Six cut rose blooms—Dr. Sutherland.

Three cut roses blooms—Dr. Sutherland.

Bowl of roses—1, Dr. Sutherland; 2, Miss Hamilton.

Collection of climbing roses—1, Dr. Sutherland; 2, Mrs. G. Mouat.

Six bunches sweet peas—1, Mrs. Ringwood; 2, Mrs. Wetheral.

Collection painsies and violias—1, Miss Hamilton; 2, Mrs. Toynbee.

Most artistically arranged bowl of flowers—1, Mrs. Oxenham; 2, M. Hamilton.

Collection of delphiniums—1, Miss Hamilton; 2, Miss P. Taylor.

Pot plant, any variety—1, Mrs. G. Mouat; 2, Miss Hamilton.

Bowl of flowers, one variety—1, Miss Aitken; 2, Mrs. Mitchel.

Geranium plant—Mrs. N. Wilson; Mrs. J. Mouat.

Non-flowering plant—1, Arthur Cartwright; 2, Mrs. J. Mouat.

Hanging basket—1, Mrs. G. Mouat; 2, Mrs. Parsons.

Best decorated tea table—Mrs. Stacy Norton.

FRUITS

Collection of small fruit—Mrs. Rowan.

Plate of strawberries—1, Arthur Cartwright; 2, Mrs. Ley.

VEGETABLES

Plate of peas—1, Mrs. Stacey; 2, Arthur Cartwright.

Plate of broad beans—1, Mrs. Parsons; 2, Mrs. G. Mouat.

Cabbage, two heads—1, Mrs. Wetherel; 2, Mrs. Parsons.

Carrots, six roots—1, Mrs. Oxenham; 2, Mrs. G. Mouat.

Lettuce, Cos, two heads—1, Mrs. Elliott; 2, Mrs. Toynbee.

Lettuce, cabbage, two heads—1, Mrs. Oxenham; 2, Mrs. Parsons.

Spring onions, six—Mrs. Oxenham.

Vegetables, collection—1, Mrs. G. Mouat; 2, Mrs. G. Mouat.

ALL UNDER EIGHTEEN

Three bunches of flowers—1, Mary Purdy; 2, Phyllis Beech.

One bunch of flowers—1, Arthur Robson; 2, Loys Wilson.

Bowl or roses—Shiela Taylor.

Three bunches sweet peas, named—1, Miss Cara Ringwood; 2, Grace Mouat.

One vase sweet peas—1, Cara Ringwood; 2, Collin Mouat.

Most artistically arranged bowl of flowers—1, Billy Taylor; 2, Stewart Bittancourt.

Pot plant—1, Hilary Purdy; 2, Olive Mouat.

Best bowl of poppies—1, Jean Mouat; 2, Mackie Mouat.

Six painting flowers—1, Margaret Purdy; 2, Constance Oxenham.

Best decorated table—1, Mary Purdy; 2, Shirly Wilson.

Collection of flowers and vegetables from child's garden—Collin Mouat.

Collection of pressed dried wild flowers—1, M. Okano; 2, Sam Beddis.

Basket of wild flowers—1, M. Mouat; 2, M. Rowan; 3, Sheila Taylor.

Decorated doll buggy—1, M. Rowan; 2, Mc. Mouat.

Bowl of wild flowers—1, Arthur Robinson; 2, Douglas Parsons.

Best button hole—1, Betty Lee; 2, L. Carr.

Miniature garden—1, Jean Mouat; 2, Dorothy Jones.

Special prize for largest collection—Mrs. Tom Akerman.

Mrs. S. Gregory left on Monday for Victoria for a few weeks.

Miss Robson and Miss Muriel Hicks of Victoria are spending a couple weeks' holiday at Ganges, guests at Harbor House.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Leyton of Victoria spent the week-end at Harbor House.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Westcott, at the Lady Minto Hospital, a son, on June 19.

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Hall returned to Victoria after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Nelson.

Mr. J. C. Scovell left last Monday for the Mayo Brothers Hospital, where he will receive treatment for his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich luckily escaped injury when their car turned over on their way home from the Cranberry.

Mrs. Wilson, an old-time resident of Salt Spring Island, widow of the Rev. Mr. Wilson, passed away in Victoria on Thursday morning and brought to her old home "Bornsbury," on Salt Spring Island and was buried in the Anglican Cemetery beside her late husband, on Sunday afternoon. The services were held by Rev. A. W. Collins and assisted by Rev. G. Ajtkins. Cecil Abbott played her two favorite hymns on the organ, "Peace, Perfect Peace" and "Abide With Me." Mrs. Wilson was eighty-six years of age and the Rev. Wilson was vicar on Salt Spring from 1894 until 1910. There was a large number of wreaths of beautiful flowers and many friends attended the funeral. Mrs. Wilson is survived by five sons and five daughters: A. Wilson in Manitoba, Kenneth Wilson in Toronto, Mrs. Scott-Ritchie, Mrs. Frank Scott, C. Wilson, Mrs. Fred Walter, Mrs. Barrodaile, Norman Wilson and Keith Wilson. Also a brother, Frank Spooner of Sidney.

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After a quiet week in the local lumber export business, King Brothers announced this morning that they have three vessels coming here shortly to load timber.

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THESE WOMEN

By MALCOLM DUART

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The names and situations in this story are fictitious.

Parrish shifted uneasily, and again there was a question in his eyes as he looked at Morton. There was no visible answer in the older man's face. He only continued his instructions. "If you take her to restaurants, take her to those where the food is good. You have not been around the world much—I believe I am right in saying that. Always be certain to fee the waiters liberally."

Parrish hastily arose to his feet. "You saw me—you saw us!" he exclaimed.

Morton's eyebrows raised in apparent surprise. "I am afraid you are talking in riddles. That's a bad habit. You evidently have something on your mind that I don't want to inquire into. If you want to dance, Miss Morton can show you about as well as any teacher. I guess that's all."

Parrish regarded him doubtfully, and seemed about to ask again if Morton had seen him the night before. The other man waved him away.

"If you have a guilty conscience about anything, I don't want to know it," Morton said. "I don't inquire into other people's consciences."

"But I'm not guilty of anything," Parrish protested.

"You act as if you were," Morton said, taking the other by the arm. "But I suppose it's merely my imagination. Now you go ahead to the office, and make sure to ring Miss Morton about noon. I'm afraid she will be lonesome."

There was amusement in his eyes as he watched the young man depart, and he shook his head slightly, as he pushed a button beneath the edge of the table.

"Ask Miss Morton's maid if she has arisen yet," he told the butler.

A minute later that household official came running down the stairs, his face agitated.

"Miss Morton's maid says that she isn't there—she wasn't here last night—her bed isn't disturbed!"

CHAPTER XVIII

A hurried inspection of Audrey's rooms showed that she was gone—that she had been gone since the night before.

Her dainty ribboned nightgown still lay upon the bed, where her maid had left it in the evening. The bed was unrumpled. The satin mules stood neatly side by side, at the foot of the bed, undisturbed.

Morton ran into the little study which lay behind the bedroom. It was the apartment in which Audrey wrote her letters. He glanced hastily over the bed. There was no note for him.

The doors of the closets in her dressing-room all were ajar. Hurriedly he ran his hand over the ranks of dresses, which hung neatly on their hangers from brass rods. He saw that her fur coat was there, but that a gray traveling coat had been removed. A sober little frock which she wore around the house also was missing, and so was the dress in which she had come from Tacoma two days before.

"She took only what she could carry in her hand bag," Morton said, to the butler, who stood helplessly behind him.

Morton's face was pale, but his movements were quick and certain.

"You know that infernal young ass that just went out of here?" he snapped. "Get him on the telephone at the office, and tell him to come back here right away. As soon as you have done that, get my office in Tacoma on the phone."

As the butler hurried down stairs, Morton closed and locked each of the three rooms that comprised Audrey's suite.

"Nobody is to go in there until Miss Morton comes back," he told the trembling maid who was standing in the hall.

Quickly he ran to the lower floor, and, jerking open his desk, wrote two telegrams. One was to the detective in Tacoma, whom he had called "George." The other was to his bank in Tacoma.

"Call for a telegraph messenger to come," he ordered the distracted butler, who was struggling with the telephone.

"Shall I call up the police?" asked the servant.

"No. Don't want this in the papers." Morton's tone was final, and the butler returned to his argument with the long distance operator.

When Parrish came in, Morton was giving instructions to his office in Tacoma in short, snapping sentences. When he was finished, he turned.

"Do you know anything about Miss Morton's whereabouts?" he demanded.

"Me?" Parrish's tone was one of astonishment.

"Yes, you! But I suppose you don't. Anyhow, I want you to get to work. Miss Morton did not go to bed last night. She is not in the house. She has not been in the house since her return here about one o'clock this morning. No," Morton stopped a sentence that Parrish was beginning—"I know where she was last night. I know all about that. What I want is to find out where she is now.

"Find the men who were on gate duty at each of the railway stations last night between midnight and morning. Don't come back here until you find them. Do you remember the dress Miss Morton wore when we came here from Tacoma day before yesterday?"

Parrish remembered.

"Describe her to each of those gatemen. Ask if they saw a girl of that description leaving on one of the night trains. Find out, if possible, if they remember where she went. And for God's sake, man, get a move on!"

Parrish ran out the door, and Morton, struggling into his overcoat, followed him a minute later.

At his office, Morton called his senior employees into a brief conference. Each of them, started, left the building in varying directions, four minutes later.

They had scarcely gone, when a telegram from Morton's bank in Tacoma reached him.

"If Miss Morton comes in we shall telegraph you at once at your Seattle apartment," the message said.

Another telegram, half an hour later, was laconic.

"Okay," was all it said. The signature was "George."

He remained at his desk all day, and late that night. Telephone messages came at frequent intervals. Now and then a telegram arrived. All were unsatisfactory.

Morton's face was set and his lips were drawn in the lines of stubbornly endured pain, but his voice was firm as he gave directions, and asked sharp questions of those who telephoned, or came to see him.

It was nearly midnight before Parrish called. Parrish's voice was tired, but there was a note of triumph in it.

"She has gone to Portland," he told Morton. "One of the fellows at the station remembered her—described her to me after I told him what kind of clothes she wore."

Morton did not pause for any words of thanks. "What time does the next train leave for Portland? I'll hold the phone."

In a few minutes, Parrish's voice was on the wire again. "We can take the same train she took—which leaves in an hour and a half."

"Get two tickets and a drawing-room," ordered Morton. "If you can't get a drawing-room, get two lowers, or two uppers. If you can't get any sleeping accommodation, get the tickets anyway."

He hung up and called to the clerks who were waiting in the next room that they could go home.

He had time to go to his apartment and secure a hand bag and suitcase, with a change of clothes and linen.

"I brought you some pyjamas, and handkerchiefs, and hosiery; he told Parrish, as they met at the railway station. "Thought you might want them."

Parrish thanked him, and they sat together silently, until the gates were opened for them to board the train.

By good fortune, Parrish had been able to secure a drawing-room, and the two immediately went to bed. Morton lay silent, but Parrish, in the upper berth, tossed restlessly until almost daylight.

The two men were standing on the car's platform, waiting, when the porter lifted the trap in the floor, and rubbed down the handles of the steps with a cloth.

"The same taxi men probably meet this train every morning," Morton told Parrish. "You inquire of as many of them as you can, and I'll do the same."

Leaving his two bags with a porter, Morton hurried out to the taxi stand, Parrish following him. For ten minutes they asked anxious questions of the drivers who lolled in the seats of the waiting machines.

There was no result. None had seen Audrey.

"Her experience is limited," Morton told Parrish, as they gave up the search at the station. "The chances are she would go directly to the largest hotel."

They climbed into a taxi, and sat, gloomy and silent, until they reached the hotel the driver had recommended.

Inquiry at the desk showed she had not registered.

Morton engaged rooms for himself and Parrish, and directed the latter to telegraph to his Seattle office and apartment, and to his office in Tacoma, his bank, and to the detective, telling his whereabouts.

Then they started to canvass the other hotels in Portland.

Audrey had not appeared in any of the regular hotels. Parrish bethought him that the girl might have sought a boarding house.

"It would be one that was recommended to her at the railway station," said Morton. "You go back there and find out where they send unescorted girls."

Parrish was starting away, when Morton called him back.

"Get a time table of that railroad, while you are there, and the other railroads coming in here, and see what connections she could make for some other train—say a train leaving within an hour or so after her arrival."

Without particular hope, but to satisfy himself, Morton continued his search around the city, going into some of the shabby places where the only signs of a hotel were the words "Rooms to Let" above a door way. He met with no success, and returned to the hotel where he had registered.

Parrish was waiting.

"A woman at the station there looks after girls who have no escort," he said. "She told me where she sends them, and I have been to all three places, and Miss Morton hasn't been seen. Here are the time tables."

Together they poured over the train schedules, and marked two trains that Audrey might have taken. Both of them were locals, stopping at innumerable way-stations en route.

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—Hosiery, Main Floor

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MEN'S UNDERWEAR

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Straw Hats, Fedora and Boater Styles, $1.25 and $1.50

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—Hats, Main Floor

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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Following are a number of leaflets which may be had by any of the readers of this department, free of charge, if readers will send with their request for the particular leaflet or leaflets, an envelope of ordinary size inscribed with the name and full address of the reader, and with a stamp firmly affixed to it. You'll be surprised how many persons find it impossible to fulfill these simple conditions. Just an envelope, your name, full address and a stamp. The leaflets desired will be sent immediately. These leaflets are designed to answer almost every possible question on the named subjects. Readers should ask for the one desired, and if it does not contain the special information he needs, a personal answer on this particular problem will be sent him, providing he incloses with his question a self-addressed and stamped envelope; otherwise it will be answered in the column.

You may have now: No. 1, "Prenatal Care"; 2, "Constipation"; 3, "Feeding and Weaning"; 4, "Eczema"; "Layettes"; 6, "Forcible Feeding"; 8, "Puzzling Problems (Hiccoughs, Prickly Heat, Dirt-Eating, Hives, Vomiting, Lime Water, Worms, Cod Liver Oil, Orange Juice, Hernia, Refractory Children)"; 9, "Some Frequent Questions (Teething, Sleeping, Thumb-Sucking, Sitting and Walking, Training in Cleanly Habits, Periods of Nursing)."

CURE WORSE THAN HABIT

Mrs. W. V. R. wants to know if I have any suggestions for curing a child of biting his nails. This department carried an article on this subject recently, but for those who missed it, would say that putting nasty tasting medicines on a child's fingernails, especially such medicines whose contents are unknown and which are designed chiefly for one's exterior and not interior, is almost worse than doing nothing at all. Imagine putting salves on a child's nails to cure him of a habit? I do wonder that even if he didn't dislike the taste his stomach didn't rebel. Keeping the child's nails cut trim and smooth will do much to discourage the habit, and putting strips of adhesive tape over them will make it impossible for him to chew them, if the first method does not work.

COMPLEMENTARY FEEDING

If the baby is irritable and dissatisfied after certain feedings, it is very wise to give some additional nourishment after the nursing. He then gets the benefit of all the mother has to give him and the extra nourishment can very well be cow's milk. Nurse first, five minutes on each breast, or ten minutes on alternate breasts. Then give one-third whole milk, two-thirds boiled water and one-fourth teaspoon granulated sugar. One and one-half ounces of this mixture should be enough at one feeding for a six-weeks-old baby, and if he does not want all of this do not urge him. One can guide oneself after the first few times as to how much the baby will take.

Please write me for the leaflet containing diets for nursing mothers. It is leaflet No.1. This will help you with your own diet for improving the supply of breast milk.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL — WOMEN'S AFFAIRS — CLUB AND NEWS

W.C.T.U. OPPOSE BEER PARLORS HERE

District Unions Send Resolution of Protest; Elect Officers

At the annual meeting of the Victoria District W.C.T.U. the five local unions were well represented and the results of the election were as follows: President, Mrs. John Hall; vice-president, Mrs. Jas. McEwan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Collins; recording secretary, Miss Marjory Ensor; treasurer, Mrs. P. M. Campbell; superintendents of departments, evangelistic, Mrs. Wellwood; Canadianization, Miss Agnes Sproule; press, Mrs. J. M. Campbell.

The following resolution has been sent to the Attorney-General and was read: Whereas the sale of beer by the glass, contributes to the use of stronger liquors, and brings not personal liberty, but bondage and slavery; whereas anything that intoxicates causes degeneration, physical and moral, and in view of the strong vote already registered against any introduction of such sale; resolved, that Victoria district of the Women's Christian Temperance Union issue a vigorous protest against the sale of beer by the glass or any relaxation of the liquor laws, as it would be a menace to the social and moral welfare of our people.

The following was the answer from the Hon. A. M. Manson addressed to the corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. Bertha Parsons:

"No licenses will be granted by the Liquor Control Board for beer parlors in Victoria until the people of Victoria by their vote have expressed their desire for the same. The plebiscite which was held on June 20, 1924, was overwhelmingly opposed to the establishment of beer parlors in Victoria and while this sentiment prevails you may depend upon the Government taking no steps which will make beer by the glass available in licensed premises."

St. Barnabas' W.A. Nets Nearly $200 By Garden Party

In spite of the unfavorable weather the garden party held at Sefton College on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of St. Barnabas Guild and W.A. was an outstanding success, nearly $200 being raised for church purposes. The Rev. Keeling, an old friend of St. Barnabas, who was introduced by Mrs. Bassett, the president of St. Barnabas Guild, performed the opening ceremony and in a delightful speech said how happy he was to be able to meet some of his old friends again.

During the afternoon a tennis tournament was played between St. Barnabas and St. Luke's tennis clubs, resulting in a victory for the latter club. Mrs. Dorothy Wilson's pupils charmed everyone with their clever dancing.

Afternoon tea was served under the convenership of Mrs. Wootton, with the following ladies composing a very efficient committee: Mesdames Bentley and Jones and Misses Esam and Rayment, with the help of some of the G.W.A. During the tea hour an orchestra comprising Miss and Mr. Christopher and Mr. Ellis Todd gave much pleasure.

The following were the stallholders: St. Barnabas, fancy work, Mrs. Ward; cooked meats, marmalade and shortbread, Mrs. Gedrim; home cooking, Mesdames Newcombe and Carley; candy, Mesdames Botteley and Knott and Miss Elkins; towels, Mrs. Watson; aprons, Mesdames Morrey and White; fine linen, Mrs. Bosustow; flowers, Misses Bosustow and Phipps; ice cream, Miss Fox. Master Lloyd Bassett did a roaring trade in root beer of his own manufacture, assisted by Master Alaric Corby. The W.A. was represented by Mrs. Heatherbell, with Mrs. Moritt and Miss Cawley in charge of their stall, the G.W.A. and lucky dip under the direction of Mrs. Aldridge and the Coral League under Miss Maude Roberts.

The clock golf in charge of Col. Moore was won by Miss Freeman. The cake guessing competition in charge of Misses Jean Newcombe and Phyliss Robinson was won by Miss May Cartwright, the correct weight being 5 lbs. 1 oz., and the doll guessing competition in charge of Miss Ward was won by Miss Lawson with No. 75.

The thanks of the guild are due to all those who helped to make the garden party such a success, especially to Miss Roberts for loaning her grounds, to the Cameron Lumber Company and Mr. Dempster for cartage; Mrs. Bridgwood, Mr. Bassett and the church committee for general assistance. Mrs. P. Edmund Corby was the general convener for the affair.

St. Mary's Annual Garden Party to Be Wednesday

The annual garden party and sale of work of St. Mary's, Oak Bay, will be held, through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, at their home, York Place, on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Schofield has kindly consented to open the sale at 3 o'clock. Various amusements have been planned. Amongst other things there will be a shooting gallery, generous goose, putting on lawn and croquet. Tea will be served on the beautiful terrace overlooking the sea. Mrs. Marshall is convening the whole affair, and there will be stalls of fancy work, linen, woolies, candy and home cooking.

A fairy dance by two little girls will be given during the afternoon and a band will play.

West Saanich Social—The West Saanich Athletic Association will hold its last strawberry social of the season in the West Saanich Hall tomorrow evening. Pitts' orchestra will provide the music for dancing.

SOCIETY

Mr. Ray Castle has left for Los Angeles on a business trip.

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Mr. S. Maclure has returned from spending the week-end at Mt. Baker.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. B. Ker and Mr. F. Nation have returned to Victoria from a trip to Alaska.

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Dr. and Mrs. Unsworth are in town from Pender Island and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Dr. S. F. Miles left yesterday for Portland, Oregon, to attend a dental convention.

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Mrs. Mackenzie of Vancouver came over to Victoria yesterday and while here will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dunn, Bank Street.

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Dr. R. E. McKeon left yesterday for Portland, Oregon, to attend the Pacific Coast Dental convention and will return to Victoria on June 26.

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Mrs. C. H. Willis of Vancouver is visiting in Victoria as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vincent, Erie Street.

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Miss May Trenchard, Devonshire House, left this morning for Shawnigan Lake on a visit to Miss Brownie Angus.

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Dr. Douglas Corsan of Fernie is attending the Canadian Medical Association convention and is a guest at the Union Club.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Sparling of Elma, Washington, are spending a few weeks in Victoria, and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

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Miss Louise Campbell who has been visiting at Penticton, accompanied by Miss Marion Skill of Vancouver, has returned to the Coast.

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Miss Nellie Thacker of the Cornish School, Seattle, Washington, is in Victoria this week, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thacker, Sea View Road, Cadboro Bay.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crawford of Vancouver, who have been spending a few days in Victoria as the guests of friends, returned yesterday afternoon to their home on the mainland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh P. Campbell of Tacoma are in Victoria on their honeymoon trip as the guests of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell, 523 Rithet Street.

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Miss Dorothy Holmes of Victoria has been spending some days in Vancouver as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. B. MacDonald, Shaughnessy Heights.

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Miss Morden of Shawnigan Lake, after spending the week-end in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fraser, Simcoe Street, has returned home.

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His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Miss Helen Mackenzie, will return to Victoria on Thursday morning after a tour of the interior of the Province.

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Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, who has been spending the last two weeks in Victoria as the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Vincent, Erie Street, returned yesterday afternoon to her home on the mainland.

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Mr. Bridges of Calgary and his son, Mr. Matthew Bridges of Vancouver were visitors in Victoria yesterday on their way for a trip up the West Coast on the Ss. Princess Maquinna.

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Dr. Hamilton of Revelstoke, who is attending the convention of the Canadian Medical Association, and Mrs. Hamilton are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. McPherson, Lampson Street.

After an absence of several years, Lieutenant and Mrs. Ian Agnew are returning to Victoria about the beginning of July, having sailed from England on June 17. They will stop off at Ottawa en route.

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The many friends of Mr. F. W. Vincent, Erie Street, will be pleased to hear he has recovered sufficiently from his operation to be able to be removed from the Jubilee Hospital to his home, where he is now convalescing.

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Dr. Tillman Briggs of Courtenay accompanied by Mrs. Briggs, motored to Victoria on Sunday to attend the Canadian Medical Association convention, and while here will be the guests of his mother, Mrs. Minno Briggs, South Turner Street.

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Announcement is made of the marriage of Grace Louise, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall to Charles H. Hunter of Point Arena, California. The marriage took place in Palo Alta, on May 29, and the young couple will reside in Palo Alta during the coming Winter.

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A quiet wedding took place on Saturday evening, June 19, at Port Angeles, when the Rev. E. Howell united in marriage Miss Jessie Glen (Nettie) Menelaws, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Menelaws, 1326 McNair Street, to Mr. Charles Stephen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Homer, 2347 McBride Avenue. Upon their return from Pt. Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Homer will reside at the Normandie Apartments.

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The visiting English footballers were entertained at "The Rocks," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Spencer, yesterday afternoon following their drive around Saanich. After viewing the beautiful gardens, the visitors were regaled with afternoon tea and ice cream, Mrs. J. M. Wood and Mrs. James Adam presiding at the prettily-decorated tea table, while Mrs. Dave Spencer and her house-guest, Mrs. Clayson of Honolulu dispensed the ice cream. Prior to the visit to "The Rocks," the team called at the farm of Mr. T. Walker where they thoroughly enjoyed a visit to the strawberry beds and the orchard, whose products they warmly praised.

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In honor of Miss Joyce Wormald, whose marriage will take place on Saturday, Mrs. P. H. Patterson entertained yesterday afternoon at her home on Bank Street at a miscellaneous shower, the gifts being concealed in a gondola, which was drawn into the room by little Miss Geraldine Patterson and Master Donald Ellis. At the tea hour the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Dugald Patterson of Vancouver, Mrs. Alex. Stewart and by Miss Margaret Stewart, who presided over the daintily-appointed tea table, which was centred with a unique design, being that of a miniature church and bridal party. During the afternoon the assembled guests enjoyed vocal solos contributed by Mrs. H. Johnson and piano selections by Miss Gwen Harper. Among those present were Miss Joyce Wormald, Mrs. Thomas Plimley, Mrs. Charles Clements, Mrs. Stannard, Mrs. A. Agnew, Mrs. Gordon Agnew, Mrs. Griswolde of Portland, Madam Jeanne, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. F. Spurier, Mrs. Thomas Pinnell, Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. F. C. Holden, Mrs. Alec Stewart Sr., Mrs. C. Wormald, Mrs. J. W. Le Hoquet, Mrs. C. G. Bailey of Vancouver, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. Selwyn Davie, Mrs. W. F. Daw, Mrs. Walter-Fowles, Mrs. Vaughn, Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Price, the Misses Grace Plimley, E. Miller, G. Harper, E. and R. Johnson, G. Watson, M. Phillips, C. and E. Lamb, F. Beecroft, E. Stannard, M. Kirkpatrick, J. Black, B. Simpson, E. Phillips, F. Casselton, H. Wood, G. Beck, E. Easton, B. Wright and B. Harkness.

INQUEST HELD ON FRENCH ACTRESS

Mlle. Regine Flory, Who Shot Herself, Was of Unsound Mind

London, June 22.—When Mlle. Regine Flory, beautiful French actress and dancer, shot herself while talking with Sir Alfred Butt in his office in the Drury Lane Theatre last Tuesday night, a French detective who had followed her from Paris was waiting in the next room to guard against just such a tragedy. This was brought out to-day at the coroner's inquest, which resulted in a verdict of suicide while of unsound mind.

Mlle. Flory, who is said to have been neurasthenic and at one time addicted to morphine, had some time before threatened suicide, and a detective, Francois Semaine, had been set to watch her. She had no trouble with Sir Alfred during their interview, at which she failed to receive an engagement, and the fatal shot came without warning.

Semaine rushed into the room just in time to catch the actress as she fell. Sir Alfred, the detective said, sat in his chair, looking stupefied and unable to realize what had happened.

Mlle. Flory, who had gone to see the director to ask for an engagement in England, was beautifully gowned and bejeweled when she took her life.

The detective said he had informed Sir Alfred that Mlle. Flory had a pistol when she left Paris and that she had threatened suicide. However, as the customs officials found no weapon upon her arrival in England, the theatrical manager thought little of the report.

Mrs. Herbert Knott left on the Transcanada Sunday evening for the East and will visit with friends in Toronto, Hamilton and other Eastern centres. On returning Mrs. Knott will be accompanied by her daughter, Muriel, who has been attending the Toronto Conservatory of Music during the past year.

Alfresco Dances To be Presented At Garden Party

At the garden party which the Women's Educational Club will hold at the "The Rocks," Cook Street, tomorrow afternoon, by kind permission of Mrs. Dave Spencer, a delightful programme of dances will be given.

Miss Eleanor Duncalfe, who has recently returned after a year's study in California, will present her own interpretation of a slave dance. The following pupils of Mrs. Gaskill will also dance: Miss Iris Gaskill, Oriental cymbal dance; the Misses Helen Beck and Agnes Kennedy, a novel midinette dance; Miss Iris Donovan, Greek dance.

In addition to the attraction offered by the gardens, which are just now at their best, there will be many other attractions.

Dean Quainton Sails On West Coast Trip

Dean Quainton sailed last night on the steamer Princess Maquinna on a visit to the chief Anglican communions along the coast. He will walk across the Island from the head of Quatsino Sound to Port Hardy. He plans to be back in Victoria by July 4.

Ronald Kenvyn, of The Vancouver Daily Province, and Mrs. Kenvyn also sailed on the Princess Maquinna last night. They are making their second holiday trip up the West Coast.

Woman Writer Commits Suicide

Mountain Lakes, N.J., June 22—Suicide was the verdict of Coroner Voker after an investigation of the death of Mrs. Kate Jordan Vermilyea, authoress and playwright, whose body was found in woods here yesterday. Beside the body was found a partly-drained bottle of disinfectant. Mrs. Vermilyea wrote under the name of Kate Jordan.

BAPTIST CHURCH IS SCENE OF WEDDING

Miss Elsie Middleton Becomes Bride of Alex Coles

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Douglas Street Baptist Church, Saturday evening, June 19, at 7.30 o'clock, when the Rev. W. H. Redman, united in marriage Miss Elsie Hilda Middleton, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Middleton and Mr. Alex. Coles, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Coles of this city.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of ivory crepe de Chine with pearl trimmings. Her veil of embroidered net was held to her head with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and carnations and maiden-hair fern.

Miss Mabel Middleton, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a shell pink georgette gown beaded in pearls and jet. She wore a silver bandeau in her hair, and carried an arm bouquet of mauve and white sweet peas. Miss Hazel Clyde, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid in a nile green brocaded silk gown, trimmed with brilliants. She wore a gold bandeau in her hair and carried a bouquet of pink and white sweet peas. Little Joyce McLean, the flower girl, was dressed in shell pink voile with ruffles of hair fern.

Mr. Norman Coles, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The ushers were Mr. Clarence Bishop and Mr. Arthur Coles. During the signing of the register Miss Evelyn Middleton of Port Angeles sang "At Dawning," and Miss Evelyn Smith played the Wedding March. Following the service a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 534 Dunedin Street. A buffet supper was served from a table centered with a three-tier wedding cake. Mrs. H. F. Bishop and Mrs. F. Clyde poured the tea and coffee. The table decorations were carried out in pink and white, and illuminated with pink candles in glass holders. The young couple received their many guests standing under a canopy of pink and white streamers. The reception rooms were beautifully decorated in pink and white, and a profusion of Summer flowers, the decorations being the work of the Misses Doris and Clara Allan, Hazel Clyde and Grace Middleton.

For travelling the bride wore a nile green silk frock, black silk coat, trimmed with white fur and a rosewood silk hat. Mr. and Mrs. Coles left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, and after visiting Seattle they will reside in Victoria.

The artistic church decorations were the handiwork of Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Murker and Mrs. McLean. Among the numerous handsome gifts was a dinner set from the C.P.S. Lumber Company, of which the groom is an employee.

Rebekahs Paid Fraternal Visit To Port Angeles

On Saturday evening last the degree staff of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 I.O.O.F., composed of Miss D. Todd, N.G.; Miss A. Brown, V.G.; Mrs. Edwards, chap.; Mrs. Bainbridge, war.; Miss E. Johnson, con.; Mrs. W. D. Todd, Mrs. R. Ozard, Mrs. R. C. Gonnason, Mrs. S. Johnson, Miss Eva Ritchie, Mrs. H. McCahill, Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy, Mrs. Elrick, Mrs. J. Edwards, Miss L. Johnson, Mrs. F. Sanders, Mrs. R. N. Penman, Mrs. L. Scandling, Mrs. Griffiths, and W. D. Todd paid a fraternal visit to Mountain View Rebekah Lodge No. 34, Port Angeles.

On their arrival the visitors were taken to the Hotel Audett, where a splendid banquet was tendered them. Following this the Colfax degree team conferred the Rebekah degree on two candidates before some 300 Rebekahs and were highly commended for their work. A splendid programme and refreshments brought the evening to a close. On Sunday morning the visitors were taken for a delightful motor drive to Lake Crescent and on their return were entertained at Lincoln Park.

Others who accompanied the staff were Mrs. F. A. Walker, Mrs. M. J. Grant, Mrs. Rachel Hay, Mrs. J. Pollard, Mrs. L. Walker, Mrs. J. McDonald, Misses Tilly Grant, Helen Paget, Olive Bainbridge and James Edwards.

Victoria W.I. to Hold Garden Fete

The Victoria Women's Institute garden fete, which is to be held at the home of Mrs. Gaskill, Harriett Road, on Wednesday, from 3 to 7, will be opened by Miss Ravenhill in the absence of Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, Superintendent of Women's Institutes for B.C. The conveners are as follows: General convener, Mrs. P. Hale; novelty stall, Mrs. Colby and Mrs. Taylor; candies, Mrs. Schmelz and Mrs. Terry; ice cream, Mrs. Crocker; orange tree, Mrs. Pattullo; home cooking, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. F. Campbell; tea, Mrs. Gaskill.

In the event of rain, the affair will be held in the institute rooms, Surrey Block. Take the Gorge bus to Harriett Road. Mrs. Gaskill's residence is near the Gorge waters.

Three Women Are Burned to Death

Mayfield, Ky., June 22.—Mrs. F. E. Webb, fifty-eight, and a daughter, Miss Rebecca Webb of Mayfield, and their guest, Mrs. Eliza Parker, sixty-five, of Wingo, Ky., were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of Will Dunn yesterday.

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WOMAN ACCUSED EARL OF LIBEL

British Major's Widow Loses Suit Against Earl Winterton

London, June 22.—The libel suit against Earl Winterton, Under-secretary of State for India, by Mrs. Travers Edward Madden, widow of a British major, was stopped by the jury to-day and a verdict returned in favor of Earl Winterton.

Mrs. Madden alleged the Earl had libeled her and her late husband in correspondence concerning the major's death while comptroller of the palace of the Maharajah of Alwar. She charged her husband had been poisoned by a woman and that the Indian authorities had hushed the matter up and confiscated his property.

Mrs. Madden, who conducted the case for herself, to-day told the court she wished to make it clear the woman whom she accused of poisoning was not a member of the Alwar household, but a nurse brought in to care for Major Madden.

She sought damages of £5,000, basing her suit chiefly on a quotation from a letter written by Earl Winterton in which he suggested Mrs. Madden's mind had become slightly unhinged as a result of brooding over the death of her husband, who also was referred to as "not an altogether estimable character."

A strange feature of the case was the presentation before the court of a mass of letters written by the plaintiff in the past three years to Lords Chelmsford, Reading, Winterton and other officials, couched in rather irrelevant language, bringing charges of all kinds against the Maharajah.

The Attorney-General, Sir Douglas Hogg, for the defendant, claimed that Earl Winterton's letter was of an official and privileged character, not constituting libel. He proved that the Madden case had been investigated by Lord Chelmsford in 1919, by Lord Reading in 1921, and again in 1922.

The plaintiff admitted that she did not suppose Winterton had any animosity against her, but she declared: "He had to make some crushing retort to nip in the bud any exposure."

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THOMAS A. EDISON ENTERTAINS ROYALTY IN HIS NEWLY-PAINTED FORD TOURING CAR

Wizard, Visited by Crown Prince and Princess of Sweden, Does Honors in Own Informal Way, Which Seems to Answer Very Well

Orange, N.J. (By Mail)—Thomas A. Edison yesterday took the Crown Prince of Sweden for a ride in his Ford touring car, which was repainted recently.

Before they went for the ride, they shouted awhile into each other's ears, because Mr. Edison is almost stone deaf. The conversation was so public that it was possible to set down, perhaps for the first time in history, what actually is said when a Prince meets an inventor.

It was at the suggestion of the Crown Prince that the meeting was arranged. For Sweden is a particularly inventive country, which has given the world safety matches and dynamite among other things; and Edison, the great American inventor, is a hero in the Swedish technical schools.

Yesterday at 1.30 Mr. Edison sat at his roll-top desk in his combination office and library, in the Edison Laboratories at West Orange, N.J. His two married sons, Charles and Theodore, with their wives, and his married daughter, Mrs. John Eyre Sloan, with her husband, were there also with the chiefs of Edison's technical staff.

There was a flutter of conversation among the women, who discussed how long it would take the Crown Prince and the Crown Princess and the royal party to motor to West Orange from Philadelphia, where they spent the preceding night at the home of E. T. Stotesbury.

WIZARD SPRUCES A BIT

Mr. Edison smoked a big cigar and made a few marks on a pad of yellow paper. He got up and moved his weatherbeaten straw hat from the table in front of his desk to the table in back of his desk. He was wearing a suit of shiny alpaca cloth that bagged slightly.

He sat down again at his desk and picked up a printed folder. The clatter of the arriving column sounded through the window. There were shouts of "Here they come." A chorus of Swedish workers in the Edison plant broke into "The King's Song," ending with four Swedish cheers.

HAZY ON ROYAL GREETINGS

But Mr. Edison apparently heard none of this and gave no sign that he notictd the stir among the waiting group of his relatives at the other end of the library until Mrs. Edison came around the end of the desk, took him by both shoulders and shouted into his right ear—

"They are here. You'll have to get up."

Edison flung the printed folder into the waste basket and shouted back—

"What am I to do?"

He got up and strode up and down until the door opened and a tall, serious looking man, hat in hand, strode in and said—

"Good afternoon, Mr. Edison."

They shook hands just as William H. Meadowcroft, confidential secretary, who has shouted into Mr. Edison's ear for thirty years, thrust himself between them. He took Mr. Edison by the shoulders and shouted into his right ear: "His Royal Highness, the Crown Prince of Sweden."

SUSPECTED WHO THEY WERE

In the meantime the Crown Princess had stepped up and shaken hands. Mr. Meadowcroft once more interposed and shouted: "Her Royal Highness, the Crown Princess of Sweden."

"That's all right, Meadowcroft, I know them," said Edison.

One by one the royal party was presented while the Prince stood circling about the inventor trying to reach his ear. At last he got Mr. Edison by the shoulders as he had seen Mr. Meadowcroft do, and shouted into his ear—

"We are delighted to be here to see you."

Edison looked around helplessly for Meadowcroft, who rushed to the rescue. Meadowcroft took the ear and shouted in exactly the same voice used by the Prince—

"He says he is delighted to be here to see you."

FIND A COMMON BOND

Edison beamed, took hold of the Crown Prince by the shoulders and shouted into the royal left ear—"I have a man here sent by Arrhenius." (Svente Arrhenius, famous Swedish chemist, who first propounded the theory of dissociation on which modern electrochemistry is founded).

The Prince shouted back—"Oh, I know Arrhenius."

The conversation stopped there a minute, then the Prince thought to ask—"Have you ever been in Sweden?" Mr. Edison shook his head.

A pause. Then the Prince asked—"What are you doing just now?"

Edison made a sweeping gesture with both arms—"Oh, any quantity of things."

In an awed tone the Prince said—"Really!"

Edison—"They always come hard. I'm working on the phonograph now."

Prince—"Oh yes, I see you have one there" (pointing to a phonograph mechanism on the back table used in listening to records).

Edison—(taking the Prince by the shoulders and trying the royal right ear this time instead of the left). "We've got a record which plays forty minutes."

Prince—"Oh, that's awfully good. How is that done?"

Edison shouted—"More groves in the record." Then he let go the Prince to draw spirals in the air to show what he meant by more grooves in a record.

A pause. Then Mr. Edison said—"We had Johansson here. (C. E. Johansson, world famous constructor of precision instruments).

Prince—"Is he here personally?"

Edison—"No, he's working for Ford now."

The conversation halted again.

"We use a great deal of Swedish iron," said Edison at last.

Prince—"From what place in Sweden do you bring it?"

That stopped the conversation, for Edison didn't know. Meadowcroft rushed away.

Mrs. Edison joined her husband. "I see you are getting along very well with the Crown Prince," she shouted into his ear.

"Oh yes, perfectly," said the Prince, and Mrs. Edison withdrew. For a while neither man said anything. At last Edison reached into his pocket and pulled out a six-inch piece of film which De Forest, the phonofilm inventor, gave him at Atlantic City recently. He thrust it into the royal hand.

Edison—"Talking pictures."

The Prince examined it and looked through it. "Is that selling already?" he asked.

Edison shrugged his shoulders.

Meadowcroft rushed into the room as hurriedly as he had rushed out and handed a slip of paper to Mr. Edison—"where the Swedish iron comes from," he panted.

Edison read the slip and handed it silently to the Prince, who read the word—"Laxa."

"Oh, yes, I know the owner of those mines," the Prince said.

Mrs. Edison returned and shouted into her husband's ear—"Are you ready to go?"

Prince—"May I go with you?"

Meadowcroft took Edison's ear and shouted—"He is going to ride with you."

At the door of the Edison laboratory. The first of the half dozen new Lincoln limousines provided for the royal party in New York, swung majestically into position with a liveried chauffeur.

"Not that," shouted Edison, "get me my car."

It was a proud moment for Elihu W. Banta, who has driven Edison in that Ford and those which preceded it for twenty years. He had cleaned up the car specially and it had a goot set of Firestone balloon tires.

As they rattled along conversation was impossible. Edison was seen to grin at the Crown Prince and the Prince grinned back at Edison.

When the royal column, led by the Ford, reached the Edison home at Llewellyn Park where the Edisons were to entertain the royal party at lunch, the Crown Prince got out from under the top of the open Ford limousine with difficulty because he is over six feet.

"I've heard a great deal of these Ford cars," he said, shaking himself gently, "but that is my first ride in one."

During the lunch, Mr. Edison sat silent, unable to follow the conversation. At his work, in listening to phonographs and hired artists, he uses an ear amplifier, but he prefers to do without it in company. "I miss a lot of waste words that way," he usually explains.

After lunch the royal party proceeded to the home of Mrs. Robert Bacon at Westbury, L.I., where they are to be house guests while in New York.

PRINCE AND "WIZARD"

Crown Prince Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden had a good time, rode in the inventor's old Ford car n'everything, when he called on Thomas Edison, at East Orange, N.J. The prince, who is scientist as well as future king, was intensely interested in Edison's laboratory and experiments.

Luxton

Special to The Times

Luxton, June 22.—The concert given on Friday night last by the Junior A.O.F. Minstrels, under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute, reflected great credit on their trainer, J. A. Welsh. The specialty dances by the Misses Toy, Hay, Johns, Cuningham and Welsh were most graceful and the costumes worn during their execution very charming. Jack Trace and W. Peterson gave a most amusing sketch, "The Man From the Clothing Store," which kept the audience rocking with mirth. Mr. Trace also contributed two songs and Mr. Peterson a whistling solo. A short address was given on A.O.F. work by G. Andrews, which was very much appreciated. A cornet solo and a violin solo by members of Tom Larman's orchestra completed a very entertaining and excellent programme.

The hall and stage presented a very attractive appearance, having been decorated and prepared by the young members of the Busy Bees' Girls' health club. There was an excellent attendance and hearty applause testified to the appreciation of the audience of the entertainment. Refreshments were served by ladies of the Women's Institute and dancing to the strains of Tom Larman's orchestra brought the evening to a close.

The next dance to be held in the Luxton Hall will be on July 2, under the auspices of the hall committee in aid of the hall funds. Pitt's orchestra will be in attendance.

The Happy Valley School picnic will be held on Monday, June 28 at Witty's Beach. Conveyances will leave Happy Valley at 9 a.m.

Mrs. Stewart of the Gorge, Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. R. Brown at "Mandalay," Happy Valley.

Saturday, July 10 will be the date of the annual ratepayers' meetings throughout the districts of Metchosin, Happy Valley, Colwood, Langford, Goldstream and the Highlands, Rocky Point and Albert Head. Parents are particularly urged by the trustees in the different districts to attend these meetings and take an interest in the affairs of the school.

Krishnamurti Remains Much In Seclusion

London, June 22—Lecturing on "How a World Teacher Arrives," Dr. Annie Besant, head of the Theosophical Society, last night protested that to her, as well as to him, it was blasphemy to speak of Krishnamurti, the young Indian known as the new Messiah, as a "World Teacher."

Mrs. Besant said she knew nothing of the details of such an incarnation as had been spoken of and could only suggest possibilities.

"The one thing we know," Mrs. Besant said, "is that Krishnamurti will speak out, as we know he speaks out in his sleep. I imagine—it is only imagination—that such manifestations will take place more and more continuously as the body becomes able to face that enormous strain.

"From what we have seen with regard to it, that strain is terrible and that is why Krishnamurti remains so much in quiet seclusion. The body has to get accustomed to its great work, but how can I tell how far or how fast the Mighty One will be able to take possession of him as a vehicle?"

Advertising Clubs Hear C.N.R. Head

Philadelphia, June 22—Through their "tireless efforts and continuous fight for truth in advertising," Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, yesterday told the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World that its members had done more than any other factor to establish in the business world the faith of the buyer in the honest purposes of the seller. Proper advertising in its introductory aspect, Sir Henry said, was the foundation of successful business.

Advertising which excites the reader to travel, Sir Henry declared, was inducing countless thousands to turn their faces toward the beauty spots of North America.

The convention was formally opened at a general meeting yesterday morning. Delegates numbering several thousand came from all parts of Canada, the United States and as far away as Australia. The discussions and conferences will last until Thursday.

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—Main Floor, H.B.C.

A Special in Women's Gloves

Novelty Chamoisette Gloves, of good wearing quality; shown with circular and embroidered turnback cuffs, finished with one dome fastener. Choose from cinnamon, pastel, mode, black, brown, sable and grey; sizes 6 to 7½. Values to $1.25. Special at, per pair ..... 79¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Novelty Parasols Reduced to 89c

Strongly Made Oriental Parasols, shown in chubby and full length styles, finished with novelty painted handles. Choose from red, blue and tan. Special at, each ..... 89¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Special Value in Boxed Stationery

Linen Finished Stationery, in boxes containing 24 envelopes and 24 sheets of paper. Choice of mauve, grey, pink and white. Reg. price 50c. Special at, per box ..... 39¢

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Odd Lines of Boys' Balbriggan Underwear to Clear at 29c a Garment

Summer weight undershirts with short sleeves sizes 22, 24 and 26; knee length drawers, size 22 only. Special, at, per garment 29c

Boys' Cotton Bathing Suits, 69c

Serviceable Cotton Suits, in blue, with red trimming; all sizes. Per suit ..... 69¢

Boys' Grey Flannel Straight Knickers, $1.39 a Pair

Ideal for vacation wear; made from serviceable grey Union Flannel with two pockets and belt loops; unlined; sizes 5 to 14 years. Per pair $1.39

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Wednesday Morning Savings in Drugs

Every article mentioned will save money for the morning customer.

Hair Brushes (splendid camp brush), each ..... 33¢

Pocket Combs, special, each, 17¢
Zinc or Boracic Ointment, 25c value ..... 18¢
Mecca Ointment, 25c value, 19¢
Seidlitz Powders, 25c value, 16¢
Glycerine and Rose Water, 25c value ..... 17¢
Olive Soap, 10c size, 4 for 27¢
Submarine Bathing Caps, at, each $1.69
Helmet Bathing Caps with chin strap, each ..... 87¢
Helmet Bathing Caps, each, 68¢

Our Special Bobbed Hair Bathing Caps, each ... 45¢

Children's Bathing Caps at, each ..... 19¢
On That Picnic—Take along a bit of bandage, adhesive and tincture of iodine. We have this in a handy package. At, each ..... 35¢

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

Summer Millinery

Values to $6.95 for

$1.98

Trimmed and tailored straws, straw and silk combined, all silk and all ribbon hats in small and medium styles. Choice of grey, sand, black, red, rust, brown and black. Special at $1.98

—Second Floor

White Pure Wool Blankets at $7.98 Per Pair

Another opportunity to replenish your blanket supply at this low price means a big saving to you. Made in Yorkshire, England from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarns and finished with blue borders; size 68x86. Price, per pair $7.98

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Two Extra Special Offerings in Women's Footwear

Summer Oxfords

Fawn suede sports and street Oxfords with Goodyear welted soles, contrasting leather trimmed uppers; Cuban heel. Sizes 3, 3½, 4 and 4½ only. Values to $8.50, for $2.98

Suede Oxfords

In fawn and grey shades, with applique of leather to match; light welted soles and covered Cuban heels. Sizes 3, 3½, 4, 4½ and 5 only. Regular price $10.00. Special at, per pair $4.98

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Charming Summer Frocks at $7.95

Dainty Summer Frocks, suitable for garden parties and flannel dances. They are made in materials of printed crepe, embossed Rayon, satin baronette and silpaca. Some are straight of line with long sleeves and turnover collars; others have draped and circular skirts, jabots and dainty touches of lace. Shown in all the new pastel shades also stripes and figured effects; sizes 16 to 42. Price

$7.95

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Khaki Riding Breeches, $1.95 a Pair

Made from strong quality khaki twill, double sewn throughout, finished with pockets and laced leg; sizes 31 to 36. Per pair $1.95

200 Yards Feltol at 45c Per Sq. Yard

Felt Base Floor Covering that is serviceable and economical. Shown in good patterns and selection; 6 feet wide. Special at, per square yard 45c

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Smokers' Stands, $1.75

Walnut finished stands, 25 inches high with turned shaft, polished metal tray and fittings. Special value at, each $1.75

—Fourth Floor, H.B.C.

100 Window Shades at 75c Each

Green Opaque Window Shades, complete with fixtures. Some of these shades have slight imperfections but not enough to affect wearing quality; size 3x6. Special at, each 75c

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Half-day Grocery Specials

Sally Ann Cleanser, a strictly Canadian product, 3 tins for ..... 25¢
Crestona Concentrated Lime Juice, contents of bottle makes 50 glasses per bottle .... 25¢
Krispy Krisp Saratoga Chip Potatoes, per package .... 10¢
Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, as used in our restaurant, per lb., at ..... 65¢

DELICATESSEN SPECIALS

Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb., ... 63¢
Thinly Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. ..... 30¢
Choice Roast Pork, per lb., 60¢
Veal Loaf, per lb. ..... 40¢
Freshly made Potato Salad, per lb. ..... 25¢
Domestic Shortening, per package, 18¢, 2 packages for 35¢

Fresh Meat Specials for Wednesday Morning

Leg Stew Beef, 2 lbs. for 25¢
Veal Stew, per lb. ..... 15¢
Mutton Stew, per lb. ..... 18¢
Loin Mutton Chops, per lb... 35¢
Rib Mutton Chops, per lb., 30¢
Veal Shanks, each ..... 20¢
Shin of Beef, whole or half, per lb. ..... 6¢
Lambs' Liver, per lb. ..... 25¢
Lambs' Tongue, pickled, each 7¢
Lambs' Hearts, each ..... 4¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fresh Fruit

Fresh Loganberries, 3 boxes for ..... 25¢
Local Red Raspberries, 2 boxes for ..... 25¢
Choice Cantaloupes, each, 15¢ and ..... 20¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Summer Wash Fabrics Values to $1.00 for 39c Per Yard

Dainty fabrics for Summer frocks. Including in the collection are 38-inch voiles in beaded effects, 38-inch printed voiles in many handsome patterns, 36-inch bungalow prints, 40-inch silk finished mulls, 29-inch woven stripe shirtings, 30-inch silk finished crepes and other weaves. Wednesday per yard 39c

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Pantie Dresses, $1.00

Smart styles in check gingham or plain chambray, with round necks and short sleeves, trimmed with pipings or self-material. Full cut bloomers. Shown in green, Saxe, orange, mauve and red; sizes 3 to 6 years. Special value at $1.00

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Bloomers and Step-ins, Special at 79c

Made from good quality crepe, plain or butterfly design double garter knee; colors, maize, blue, pink and white. Special at .... 79¢

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Girls' Summer Weight Combinations Special, 49c

Lightweight garments with wide or tight knee, sleeveless style; reg. 69c. Special at, per suit ..... 49¢

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Bandeau Brassieres Values to $1.50, Special 89c

Made of pink batiste or novelty repp, front or back fastening, tape shoulder straps; broken sizes, 32 to 46; values to $1.50. Special at ..... 89¢

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Wednesday Offerings in the Silk Section

Natural Pongee
33 inches wide. Price, per yard ..... 49¢
High Grade Spun Silks
In all colors, 29 inch. Per yard ..... 98¢
British Spun Silks
36 inches wide. Price, per yard $1.29
Pure Silk Crepe de Chines
40 inches wide, all colors, at per yard $1.49
Black Duchess Satin
With a rich, lustrous finish; 36 inches wide. Price, per yard $1.49

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Half-Day Specials in the Hardware Department

Jeye's Powder
For poultry houses, garbage cans, refuse heaps, etc. Regular 20c. Special at ..... 15¢
Jeye's Sanitary Fluid
One of the strongest germicides on the market for drains, sinks, etc., and for washing animals. Regular 65c. Special at .. 55¢
Sanitary Brushes
Sanitary bowl brushes, special at ..... 39¢
Wellington Knife Polish
Nixey's English knife polish. Special, 2 tins for ..... 25¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

PILCHARD RUN STARTS ON WEST COAST

FIRST CATCHES OF TWENTY TON LOTS START ACTIVITY AT NEW REDUCTION PLANTS

Expert's Survey Says Millions Invested in Pilchard Industry; $2,000,000 Spent in Remodeling Ucluelet Cannery; Fifteen Well-equipped Plants Will Engage in Operations This Year; Day and Night Operations Contemplated; Industry Confined to Whites and Indians

John P. Babcock, Assistant Commissioner of Fisheries of the Province, has returned to Victoria from an inspection of the fisheries of the West Coast of Vancouver Island. In his report to the Hon. William Sloan, Commissioner of Fisheries, he states: "There is greater activity in the fisheries on the West Coast than at any time in the last twenty odd years that I have looked them over. The activity is due to the establishment of fish reduction works.

"The one subject of conversation all along the Coast from Barkley to Quatsino Sounds is pilchards, pilchards. Where formerly all eyes were directed to the salmon, they are now looking for pilchards. During the Winter and Spring some fourteen new plants have been constructed, most of which are ready to operate as soon as the pilchards strike the coast. Last year but three fish reduction plants were operated. This year fifteen will engage in pilchard operations. They are scattered from Barkley Sound to and including Quatsino Sound. The two largest of the new plants are located in Esperanza Inlet.

NEW PLANTS

"The whaling plant at Cachelot, Kyuquot Sound, will hereafter be operated as a pilchard reduction works. The old whaling station at Sechart has been taken over and will operate on pilchards. The old cannery at Ucluelet is to be remodeled. Upwards of two million has been and will be expended. Over $700,000 worth of new machinery has been, or is being installed. When all the plants are operating they will have a capacity for handling two hundred tons of pilchards per hour.

"Last year the first schools of pilchards came into Barkley Sound the last week in June and rapidly worked into all the large inlets from Quatsino south. It is stated that pilchards always enter Barkley Sound first, and a week or so later large schools enter most of the inlets. Catches of twenty odd ton lots were made in Barkley Sound this year as early as June 10, and one twenty-ton catch was made at the head of Nootka Sound as early as June 11. Two of the plants in Barkley Sound were in full operation on June 18. From now uneil November the operators anticipate being kept busy. The pilchards that come on to the coast this year will have a hard time keeping free from the purse-net. The catches are all made with purse-nets.

IN VAST SCHOOLS

"Comparatively little is known of the life of the pilchard. They are pelagic spawners, that is, they spawn in the open sea; where and when has not been definitely determined. They come in from the open-sea and enter the West Coast inlets in vast schools, traveling like the herring, and remain in the inlets for months but, unlike the herring, they do not spawn there. They are averagely larger than herring and are so rich in oil that they are not used for food. Heretofore they have not been extensively fished. Their use in reduction plants was first authorized by Dominion fishery regulations in the Winter of 1924. Well advised operators who have been investigating the supply for several years, express confidence that the supply is virtually unlimited and will stand the drain that will be placed on it by existing plants for years to come. Whaling captains who have operated off the West Coast for years, state that all through their Summer operations they found vast schools—miles and miles of pilchards in the open sea as well as in the inlets, in the Summer and Fall months. Other men who claim to have investigated, express the opinion that the supply will soon be exhausted. One operator expressed the opinion that the supply would be exhausted in from three to five years, and possibly sooner.

LARGE BOATS

"While most of the operators will depend upon catches made in the inlets, at least two of the new operators have built large purse-seine boats to fish in the open sea and expect to make big catches there. They maintain that they can operate in the open sea as successfully as the menhaden fishermen do in the Atlantic.

"The fish reduction plant machinery that has been installed on the West Coast is of recent invention. The fish are automatically fed into one great machine; there they are macerated, cooked and manipulated under great pressure. The oil flows from pipes directly into great tanks and the residue comes out as thoroughly dried meal and drops into sacks. From the time the whole fish is fed into the machine until the oil and meal is expressed, the processes are not in evidence. It's a continuous operation—just go in one end of a great boiler-like machine and come out at the other end as oil or meal. There is no odor; even the most delicate nostrils are not offended. The fish-meal, as the solid material that comes from the machine is called, is thoroughly dried in the machine and has the consistency of coarse corn-meal. It's dark brown in color and is in demand for chicken and cattle feed and for fertilizer.

SIXTY GALLONS PER TON

"The oil that flows from the pipes is light in color and odorless. It is psed for making olemargarine, fine soaps, varnishes, etc. When the pilchards are fat they produce close to sixty gallons of oil per ton. The oil is worth from 35 to 40 cents per gallon; some grades at a higher price.

"The oil that will be produced on the West Coast this year will be shipped in bulk, the C.P.R. boats having been equipped with great tanks for its transportation. That shipped from British Columbia ports to the East and Europe will be carried in tank cars, filled directly from the boats by pumps.

"Yes, things were humming on the West Coast, and a very fine thing about the activity is the fact that none but white or Indian labor is employed. The regulations that permit the use of pilchards in fish reduction plants, prohibit the employmene of other than whites of Indians. A considerable number of men will be employed in each plant. The plants, when the catch will permit, will be operated day and night.

"The catch of Spring salmon on the West Coast so far this season has been disappointing—lighter than last year—but as the prices paid have been high, the fishermen have done well financially."

C.N.R. ARRANGE TRIANGLE TOUR

A most attractive scenic tour of ten days' duration, embracing a 1,250-mile daylight ride by rail and a 550-mile cruise of the B.C. coast, has been arranged by the Canadian National Railways, according to an announcement made to-day at the local offices.

The trip will include a two-day visit in Jasper National Park in the heart of the Canadian Rockies.

The Canadian National train will leave Vancouver on Monday, July 19, and the party will arrive back in Vancouver on the C.N.R. steamer Prince Rupert on July 28.

The itinerary of the tour is as follows:

First Day, Monday, July 19—Leave Vancouver 8 a.m., leave New Westminster 8.30 a.m.; arrive Kamloops 6.30 p.m.

Second Day, Tuesday, July 20—Leave Kamloops 7 a.m., stop at Pyramid Station 1.30 p.m.; arrive Jasper at 6 p.m.

Third Day, Wednesday, July 21—All day at Jasper; 9 a.m., motor drive to Maligne Canyon. Dancing, motion pictures and radio at Lodge in evening.

Fourth Day, Thursday, July 22—All day at Jasper. Entire day free for members of party to enjoy themselves as they wish.

Fifth Day, Friday, July 23—Leave Jasper 6 a.m.; arrive Prince George 7 p.m.; remain at Prince George overnight.

Sixth Day, Saturday, July 24—Leave Prince George 6 a.m.; arrive Vanderhoof 9 a.m.; arrive Smithers 7 p.m.

Seventh Day, Sunday, July 25—Leave Smithers 6 a.m.; stop at Bulkley Gate, about 7.45 a.m.; arrive New Hazelton 8 a.m.; arrive Kitwanga 11 a.m.; short stop at Kitselas Canyon about 2 p.m.; arrive Terrace 2.15 p.m.; arrive Prince Rupert 7 p.m.

Eighth Day, Monday, July 26—At 3.30 p.m. party board the steamer Ss. Prince Rupert, which will leave for Vancouver at 4 p.m.

Ninth Day, Tuesday, July 27—Late in the afternoon Ocean Falls is reached, and a short stop made, allowing members of the party to go ashore.

Tenth Day, Wednesday, July 28—Arrive Vancouver 9 a.m.

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To be included in this sale the almost new furniture from one house, such as: Sectional Bookcase, mission Oak Library Table, large upholstered Easy Chairs, oak dropleaf Table, Reed and Cane Chairs, blue pile and other nice Carpets, fumed oak Extension Table and six Chairs to match, three Dresser Sets, nice Beds, cedar Wardrobe, Singer Hand Sewing Machine, good Banjo, Santo Electric Vacuum Cleaner, Gent's Bicycles, usual kitchenware, Canada Pride and other steel Ranges, 100 feet Garden Hose, Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, etc.

EVINRUDE OUTBOARD ENGINE

This engine is in first-class order. Further particulars later.

Also our usual sale of poultry at 11 o'clock.

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SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

June 21, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

MAINE, Honolulu for Vancouver, 299 miles southwest of Cape Flattery.

CANADIAN OBSERVER, San Francisco for Victoria, 403 miles from Victoria.

KONGOSAN MARU, 1,000 miles from Victoria, inbound.

HANNA NIELSON, 1,018 miles from Cape Flattery, inbound.

NIELS NIELSON, 993 miles from Cape Flattery, inbound.

IYO MARU, Yokohama for Victoria, 1,336 miles from Victoria.

AORANGI, Honolulu for Victoria, 1,004 miles from Victoria.

June 22, 8 a.m.—Weather:

Estevan—Part cloudy; northwest; twelve miles; 30.22; 58; light swell.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.20; 62; sea smooth.

Pachena—Part cloudy; east; light; 30.23; 51; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 30.30; 60; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert — Cloudy; calm; 30.38; 56; sea smooth.

IYO MARU IS DUE FROM YOKOHAMA

N.Y.K. Steamship Will Reach William Head Saturday From Far East

At noon Saturday the Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamship Iyo Maru, Capt. Aoshima, will drop anchor at the William Head quarantine station, inbound from the Far East, according to word received this morning frmo the ship by A. H. Hebb, local representative. The vessel will berth at Pier 2 about 1.30 o'clock.

The Iyo is bringing a silk consignment amounting to 4,530 bales of the raw product and 117 cases of silk goods, the total being valued at $5,000,000. The vessel also has 3,500 tons of general Oriental cargo, including 2,600 tons for transshipment overland, 400 tons for shipment by intercoastal vessels and 500 tons for Seattle.

For Victoria the liner has five cabin and eight steerage passengers, while Seattle's list is made up of twelve cabin and a like number of steerage travelers. The Iyo will discharge approximately 300 tons of cargo at this port.

Mail for Victoria includes twenty-nine bags of letters, twenty-nine bags of parcel post and nine bags for Eddie Hubbard.

MARINE NOTES

Outbound for the Orient the O.S.K. liner Arabia Maru will arrive here at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from Seattle. The vessel will pick up several passengers here, leaving again at 5 o'clock. It was learned to-day that no damage was done to the Arabia when she crashed into Pier 2 on her last visit here, inbound from the Far East.

Empress of Canada at Yokohama from Victoria.

Oscar II at Copenhagen from New York.

Auto Ferry Routes

Port Angeles-Victoria, B.C.

Auto ferry "Olympic," June 12 to September 12, 1926.

Leave Victoria, B.C., for Port Angeles, 9 a.m., 3.30 p.m.

Leave Port Angeles for Victoria, B.C., 11.45 a.m., 6 p.m.

Anacortes-Victoria (Sidney, B.C.)

Auto ferries "City of Angeles" and "Puget."

May 20 to September 20, 1926

Leave Anacortes for Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) 1.00 p.m., 5.30 p.m. Calls at Orcas and Roche Harbor (San Juan Island points).

Leave Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) for Anacortes, 8.30 a.m., 2 p.m. Calls at Roche Harbor and Orcas (San Juan Island points) on the 8.30 a.m. trip. 2.00 p.m. is through trip—no stops.

September 20 to November 30, 1926

Leave Anacortes for Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) daily, 1.00 p.m., calling at Orcas and Roche Harbor.

Leave Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) for Anacortes daily, 8.30 a.m., calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas.

Bellingham-Victoria (Sidney, B.C.)

Auto ferries "City of Angeles" and "Puget".

May 20 to September 20, 1926

Leave Bellingham for Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) daily, 8.30 a.m., calling at Orcas and Roche Harbor.

Leave Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) for Bellingham, daily, 5.30 p.m., calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas.

Mill Bay Ferry bridging Island Highway at Malahat — Leaves Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, 7.30 a.m., 9.15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m. and 5 p.m. Leaves Camp Point, Mill Bay, 8.30 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4.15 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Vancouver-Nanaimo Service
"M.S. Motor Princess."
May 1 to September 30, (Inclusive)

Lv.		Ar.	
Vancouver	7.00 a.m.	Nanaimo	10.00 a.m.
Nanaimo	10.30 a.m	Vancouver	1.30 p.m.
Vancouver	2.15 p.m.	Nanaimo	5.15 p.m.
Nanaimo	5.45 p.m.	Vancouver	8.45 p.m.

TIDE TABLE

Day	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.
9	0.32	9.1	8.38	1.3	18.11	7.6	19.54	7.5
10	0.55	9.2	9.14	0.9	19.06	7.9	20.37	7.8
11	1.15	9.1	9.52	0.7	20.04	8.1	21.24	8.0
12	1.32	9.0	10.32	0.8	20.45	8.3	22.22	8.2
13	1.45	8.8	11.13	1.1	21.20	8.3	23.39	8.2
14	1.57	8.4	11.54	1.5	21.50	8.3	.. ..	..
15	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	12.34	2.0	22.14	8.3
16	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	13.12	2.6	22.21	8.3
17	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	13.48	3.3	22.24	8.3
18	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	14.21	4.0	22.34	8.3
19	7.29	5.2	9.51	5.3	15.40	4.6	22.48	8.2
20	6.52	4.6	11.36	5.4	14.31	5.2	23.06	8.3
21	6.51	3.8	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	23.26	8.6
22	7.19	2.9	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	23.47	8.9
23	7.47	2.0	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
24	0.09	9.1	8.22	1.1	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
25	0.33	9.4	8.59	0.5	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
26	1.00	9.5	9.38	0.1	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
27	1.22	9.5	10.19	0.0	20.21	7.9	22.01	7.8
28	2.11	9.2	11.02	0.2	20.27	8.0	23.09	7.7
29	2.54	8.6	11.47	0.7	20.26	8.1	.. ..	..
30	0.28	7.4	8.45	7.9	12.34	1.5	20.51	8.3

$12,000,000 FOR PORT OF MONTREAL

Bill For Harbor Improvements Now Before Commons For Third Reading

Ottawa, June 22.—The bill to provide for a loan of $12,000,000 to the Montreal Harbor Board was approved by the House in committee last night, and now stands for third reading.

Hon. Robert Rogers, Conservative, Winnipeg South, opposed passage of the bill. The Harbor Commission last year had had but a small surplus. It was in no position to undertake greater obligations than at present.

He predicted that if this money was loaned the Montreal Harbor Commission would default on its interest payments.

Furthermore, said Mr. Rogers, the Montreal Harbor Commission had tolerated the mixing of United States grain with Canadian grain, thus destroying the high grade which Canadian farmers had endeavored so long to produce. Not only was the Harbor Commission doing this, but it was doing it in violation of the law, he said.

"That statement is denied by the Harbor Commissioners, and I believe them until proof to the contrary is produced," said C. H. Cahan, Conservative, St. Lawrence-St. George, Montreal.

Mr. Rogers insisted he had made the statement on the best authority.

ROALD AMUNDSEN WILL ARRIVE IN SEATTLE MONDAY

Seattle, June 22.—Seattle Chamber of Commerce was advised last night that Captain Roald Amundsen and fifteen others who flew the dirigible Norge over the North Pole from Europe to Alaska will arrive here Monday. The steamship Victoria, on which the explorers are coming here from Nome, Alaska, was delayed two days at an Alaskan whaling station.

The Victoria is to be met at the entrance to Seattle's harbor by a squadron of army and navy aeroplanes. A public banquet is planned for the explorers Monday night.

RETURNS FROM INSPECTION TOUR

E. E. BRYDONE-JACK

supervising engineer for western provinces, Public Works of Canada, with his headquarters in Victoria, who arrived back in the city last Monday after a two-and-half-months' trip through Eastern Canada. He was a visitor in Ottawa for a short period and also visited the two large drydocks at Quebec and St. John, N.B. Mr. Brydone-Jack was a member of the board of engineers who drew up the plans and specifications for the Government drydock at Skinner's Cove. The territory over which Mr. Brydone-Jack supervises includes British Columbia, Yukon, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. On his recent visit to New Brunswick he had the honorary degree of D.Sc. conferred on him by the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N.B. Mr. Brydone-Jack visited Ottawa in connection with matters pertaining to the new Esquimalt drydock and his department.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Caledonia at Glasgow from New York.

Grey County at Antwerp from New York.

Huronian at Avonmouth from Montreal.

Ellingsworth at Sydney, N.S., from Hamburg.

United States at Halifax from Denmark.

Newfoundland at Halifax from Liverpool.

Belmier at Montreal from Antwerp.

Canadian Hunter at Montreal from Antwerp.

Carrigan Head at Montreal from Belfast.

AVIATORS PLAN LONG FLIGHT TO ALASKAN PORT

Portland Airmen Leave Vancouver To-morrow For Seward in Flying Boat

Vancouver, June 22 (Canadian Press)—Two aviators of Portland, Oregon, R. H. Merril and Roy Davis, will "hop off" to-morrow from Vancouver Harbor in an aero-marine flying boat purchased last week from Major D. R. McLaren, vice-president of the Pacific Airways Company, on a 1,000-mile voyage to Seward, Alaska. The boat is now being fitted out at a machine plant here and the aviators expect to have her ready to "take the air" by to-night.

It is planned to use the boat principally for fast mail service between Seward, Alaska, and points within a radius of 200 miles.

The trip from Vancouver to the North will be made in five "jumps," according to present plans, Alert Bay being the first stop, Prince Rupert the second, Ketchikan, Alaska, the third, Wrangel, Alaska, the fourth and Seward the fifth.

Major McLaren brought the machine to the Pacific Coast last year from the East. It is equipped with a 180-horsepower Hispano-Suiza motor of eight-cylinders, and will carry three passengers besides the pilot, or a corresponding weight of freight.

Rail Association To Hold Convention In Mainland City

Vancouver, June 22.—Delegates will arrive to-day for the eighteenth annual convention of the American Railway Development Association, which will be held at the Hotel Vancouver, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A welcome will be extended to the visitors, by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, R. R. Bruce, Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, and Mayor L. D. Taylor.

On Saturday the delegates will go to Victoria on the steamship Princess Marguerite.

Alberta Coal to Be Shipped East

Toronto, June 22—Twenty-five or fifty thousand tons of coal would be shipped from Alberta to Toronto before the railways became busy with the shipments of grain from the western provinces if Mayor Thomas Foster of this city had his way.

This proposal was made to a representative of Premier Brownlee of Alberta with the additional proposal that the question of what freight rates should be paid, should be left until the Dominion railway board issues a report on what should be a fair rate.

Premier Brownlee is expected to telegraph the mayor within a few days concerning his decision regarding interim supply.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer	Master	Agent	From	Due
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	June 25
Iyo Maru		N.Y.K.	Orient	June 26
Protesilaus		Rithets	Orient	June 27
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 28
Africa Maru	Komiya	O.S.K.	Orient	June 29
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	June 30

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer	Master	Agent	For	To Sail
Empress of Russia	Hosken	C.P.R.	Orient	June 24
Tyndareus		Rithets	Orient	June 24
President Madison	Quinn	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 27
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	June 30
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	July 8
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	July 9
Protesilaus		Rithets	Orient	July 15
Africa Maru	Komiya	O.S.K.	Orient	July 16
Arabia Maru	Yamaga	O.S.K.	Orient	June 23

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter left Garston for Birkenhead, thence Glasgow, June 17.

Canadian Highlander left Victoria for Avonmouth, Garston, Liverpool and Glasgow June 12.

Canadian Importer left Nanoose for Union Bay June 20.

Canadian Pioneer left Panama for Vancouver June 12.

Canadian Planter left Union Bay for Three Rivers, Sorel and Montreal May 28.

Canadian Prospector arrived Montreal June 7.

Canadian Ranger left Norfolk for Portsmouth, London and Antwerp June 8.

Canadian Seigneur arrived London, thence Atwerp, June 16.

Canadian Transporter left Halifax for Avonmouth, Swansea, Liverpool, Garston and Glasgow June 13.

Canadian Winner left Antwerp for Vancouver June 10.

Canadian Skirmisher left Swansea for Vancouver May 29.

Canadian Coaster left Ocean Falls for San Pedro June 15.

Canadian Farmer arrived Vancouver June 10.

Canadian Observer arrived San Francisco June 17.

Canadian Rover left Nanaimo for Ocean Falls June 20.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of June, 1926.

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
7	4	13	8	10
8	4	13	8	11
9	4	12	8	11
10	4	12	8	12
11	4	12	8	12
12	4	12	8	13
13	4	12	8	14
14	4	12	8	14
15	4	12	8	15
16	4	12	8	15
17	4	12	8	15
18	4	12	8	16
19	4	12	8	16
20	4	12	8	16
21	4	12	8	16
22	4	12	8	16
23	4	13	8	16
24	4	14	8	16
25	4	14	8	16
26	4	15	8	17
27	4	15	8	17
28	4	15	8	17
29	4	15	8	17
30	4	16	8	17

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 2.30 p.m.

For Seattle

Sol Duc leaves daily at 10.15 a.m. except Sunday.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 12.45 p.m.

Sol Duc arrives daily at 9.30 a.m. except Sunday.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

Portland Canal Route

Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox.

Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 9 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Anyox, Stewart, etc.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 11 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National: Mondays and Thursdays from Vncouver at 8 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

June, 1926
China and Japan

President Jefferson—Mails close June 3, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 15, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong June 24.

Empress of Canada—Mails close June 10, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 21, Shanghai, June 25, Hongkong June 28.

President Grant—Mails close June 15, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 27, Shanghai July 2, Hongkong July 6.

Kaga Maru—Mails close June 17, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 2.

Empress of Russia—Mails close June 24, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 5, Shanghai July 9, Hongkong July 12.

President Madison—Mails close June 27, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 9, Shanghai July 14, Hongkong July 18.

Tyndareus—Mails close July 1, 12 noon; due at Yokohama July 16.

Australia and New Zealand

Niagara—Mails close June 2, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland June 21, Sydney June 26.

Sierra (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 5, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney June 29.

Makura (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 13, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington July 5, Sydney July 10.

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 26, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney July 20.

Aorangi—Mails close June 30, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland July 19, Sydney July 24.

Sierra and Sonoma carry mails to Fiji and Australia only.

CANADIAN NATIONAL STEAMSHIPS

Steamer **Prince George** or **Prince Rupert** will leave Vancouver every Monday at 8 p.m. for Skagway, calling at Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert, Ketchikan, Wrangell and Juneau.

Steamer **Prince Rupert** or **Prince George** will leave Vancouver every Wednesday at 8 p.m. for Anyox and Stewart, calling at Powell River, Falls and Prince Rupert.

Steamer **Prince Charles** will leave Vancouver every Saturday at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert direct, proceeding to Anyox, Stewart and Massett Inlet, returning to Vancouver via Prince Rupert and Ocean Falls.

Steamer **Prince John** will leave Vancouver fortnightly for Queen Charlotte Island points. •••

COWICHAN LAKE—DIRECT SERVICE

Motor coach leaves Victoria (Point Ellice Station) 9 a.m. daily, except Sunday, for Cowichan Lake and Youbou (mile 83). •••

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

"Continental Limited" leaves Vancouver 9.50 p.m. daily for Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Ottawa and Montreal, making connections for other Eastern points. Carries through all-steel standard and tourist sleeping cars, dining car and drawing-room-compartment-library-observation car, equipped with radio. Effective June 28, this train will also carry through standard sleeper to Vernon and Kelowna from Vancouver.

Effective June 27 train number four will leave Vancouver 9.30 a.m., daily for Kamloops and Jasper, carrying standard sleeper through with cafe-observation and mountain observation cars, Vancouver to Kamloops.

Tickets and reservations arranged, also baggage checked through from Victoria. City Ticket Office, 911 Government Street, Telephone 1242. •••

Mill Bay Ferry

Ferry Leaves MILL BAY at	Ferry Leaves BRENTWOOD at
8.30 a.m.	7.30 a.m.
10.15 a.m.	9.15 a.m.
12.00 noon	11.00 a.m.
2.30 p.m.	1.30 p.m.
4.15 p.m.	3.15 p.m.
6.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.
7.45 p.m.	7.00 p.m.

Daily (Including Sundays)

NOTE—For period June 28 to Sept. 7 (inclusive) the 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. trip from Brentwood, will be removed from

REGULAR SCHEDULE

A special trip will, however, be run at these hours on which transportation can be obtained by reservation only.

Phone 2107 or 2900

Seattle Shipping

Seattle, June 22.—Captain Paul D. Chandler, Seattle manager for the Luckenbach Steamship Company, announced here yesterday that the steamer Florence Luckenbach will remain in Seattle until freight rates to the Atlantic coast are increased. The present rates are $12 per thousand feet.

The Alaska Steamship Company received authority to-day to change the name of the freighter Jeptha to Denali. Denali is the Indian word for Mount McKinley. The vessel begins her third voyage for the Alaska Steamship Company when she leaves Saturday for Southeastern Alaska.

With supplies for government schools, hospitals and reindeer stations on the Arctic coast of Alaska, the power schooner Boxer sails from Seattle early in July. The Boxer is homeward bound from Seward.

The United States Navy transport Vega sails from Seattle July 28 for the Pribilof Islands in Bering Sea with a cargo of supplies for United States Bureau of Fisheries stations. The Vega is expected to bring a large shipment of seal skins from the islands on her return trip.

Norton, Lally & Company, northwest agents for the Argonaut Line, received advices here yesterday that the steamer Maine will arrive in Seattle June 28 from the Hawaiian Islands.

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To Belfast-Glasgow

July 1 July 29 .... Montnairn

FROM QUEBEC

To Liverpool

July 2 July 30 .... Montcalm

To Cherbourg-Southampton-Hamburg

July 7 Aug. 4 .... Empress of France
July 21 Aug. 18 ... Empress of Scotland

To Belfast-Glasgow

July 1 July 29 .... Montnairn

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Play in your own vast playground this summer, where the Rockies are "as they were in the Beginning". It will be the happiest vacation you ever enjoyed.

P.S. If you want any information about Yellowstone, I am at your service.

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CROW SLAUGHTER RETURNS COMING IN

Systematic Way of Poisoning Outlaw Birds Urged by Minister

The black crow of British Columbia is the worst kind of a scamp, especially in the eyes of the agriculturists, Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, announced to-day.

"He has no friends, he is an outlaw," Mr. Barrow added, "and we must work out some systematic way of poisoning him. It is useless for a farmer to go out after him with a gun as he is too wily. He can tell from a long way off whether you are packing a gun or just a harmless stick."

Mr. Barrow received word from the Game Conservation Board to-day that it was not known exactly how many crows had bitten the dust as a result of the ten cent bounty put on them. This bounty ran for two months until the end of May and returns of the slaughter it provoked are still coming in from the country.

"I know about Mr. Crow from experience," Mr. Barrow added. "I raised a big brood of fine healthy Chilliwack ducks. Mr. Crow has left only half of them for me."

Cottage Gardener Vegetable Show Gets Cup From Reeve

Councillor W. Graham, of Saanich, president, has already started getting things ready for the tenth annual exhibition of the Cottage Gardeners' Society, to be held in St. Mark's Hall, Boleskine Road, on September 4, it was announced to-day by W. L. Llewellyn, secretary-treasurer, of 3710 Saanich Road.

The prize list for vegetables, fruits and flowers and home cooking and sewing has eighty-eight classifications and is now being issued to competitors by Mr. Llewellyn.

"This Cottage Gardeners' exhibition is always looked forward to as the outstanding little show on the southern part of the Island," Mr. Lewellyn said. "One of the features this year will be the competition for a valuable silver cup donated by Reeve Macnicol for the best collection of vegetables made by any boy or girl."

T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., said that he would perform the opening ceremonies.

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MEDICAL MEN STUDY NEWEST AIDS TO WORK

Big Exhibition of Newest Ideas in Surgical Equipment at Empress

One of the features of the convention of the Canadian Medical Association at the Empress Hotel is the elaborate display of equipment, being shown in the rotunda and palm room.

Radiological equipment of the latest type is being demonstrated by Fisher & Burpe Limited of Vancouver, H. G. Fischer & Company of Chicago and the Victor X-Ray Corporation, the latter a subsidiary of the Canadian General Electric Company.

The Cameron Surgical Specialty Company show a practical "cold" light, devised by the late Professor Steinmetz about seven years ago which has the property of throwing into relief blood veins and diseased or congested tissues while passing without obstruction through bones.

An array of albino rats of the same age show by their variations in development the necessity of vitamines in the diet, and are a feature of the cod-liver oil display of Ayerst, McKenna and Harrison of Montreal. Castor oil and other physics are shown prepared in chocolate coverings, while the Waterbury Chemical Company show palatable preparations of cod liver oil. Many displays feature articles of diet for invalids and infants, among these being Horlick's Malted Milk; Mead, Johnson & Company, the Canadian Milk Products Company and others.

The Charles H. Phillips Company show genuine milk of magnesia and pharmaceutical preparations, Ingram & Bell of Toronto have on view a display of surgical supplies and the Hygiene Products Company features British made Izal, a disinfectant much used by public health officers in combatting contagious and infectious diseases.

The Bausch & Lomb Optical Company show the latest ideas in oculist's supplies and have on demonstration the first binocular research microscope shown on the Pacific Coast.

Medical libraries are well represented, the Macmillan Company and J. B. Lippincott Company have large collections on view, while Dr. Maude Abbott, who was associated with the late Sir William Osler for many years, is featuring a souvenir work on the life of Canada's greatest medical man.

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Masters of Two Tugs Have Their Papers Returned

Capt. W. Robson, formerly master of the tug Clutha and Capt. S. Simpson of the tug Westminster Boy, have had their certificates returned to them following an investigation into the sinking of the tug Clutha in the Fraser River, May 15, 1925. This decision is announced by Capt. J. D. Macpherson, deputy to the Dominion Wreck Commissioner.

In giving out the report Capt. Macpherson stated that the loss of the Clutha was caused through insufficiency of the combined power of that vessel and the tug Westminster Boy to control and handle their tow against the strong current then running in the Fraser River. The report further stated that though the court was not imputing blame, the court is nevertheless of the opinion that there was lack of judgment and caution shown.

The assessors at the court of inquiry were Capt. J. R. Stewart and Capt. W. Bell.

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CANADIAN LEGION

An important general meeting of the Canadian Legion Branch will be held in the club rooms, 1406 Douglas Street on Wednesday at 8.30, to deal with urgent business. This meeting will follow that of new members which is called for 8 o'clock.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Chinchilla Rabbit Breeders' Association will hold a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

A special general meeting of the Canadian Legion branch will take place in the clubrooms, 1406 Douglas Street, to-morrow night at 8.30 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Board of School Trustees will be held at the Lampson Street School on Tuesday, June 29 at 7.30 p.m.

The Esquimalt Council met last night in a short business session at which general routine matters were discussed. The body then adjourned to participate in the general meeting called at the Rex Theatre to discuss the improvement tax situation.

The G.W.V.A. branch of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L., has just received an autograph photo of the Governor General as a memento of his recent farewell visit to Victoria and conveying his good wishes to members of the Post. The photo is being framed at the Red Cross Workshops and will be hung with the other portraits of celebrities in the gallery.

Mrs. P. Cuttle, principal of Langdon School, Rockland Avenue, Victoria, has issued invitations to parents and friends of the children attending the school to be present on Thursday evening at 7.30, when a charming little play "Hansel and Grettel in Fairyland" will be presented by the small pupils. This being a part of the school closing exercises distribution of prizes will take place.

At a routine session of the City School Board last night it was decided to call for tenders for the new Oaklands primary school building, upon plans acceptable to the board. The new edifice will be a four-room school in the colonial style, finished in stucco and cement. It will face on Ryan Street. Tenders were made returnable at noon on July 7. A contract for incidental painting work at the Boys' Central School was awarded by the board to C. Garland, in the sum of $324. The highest tender received asked for $759 for the same work.

REWARD OFFERED FOR CAPTURE OF SLAYER

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man they saw lurking near the scene of the killing at about the time it was committed.

Taken by county and city officials to the Gaines home, the Stokes couple were confronted by the father last night and asked if he was the suspected slayer.

"This is not the man," Mrs. Stokes emphatically announced.

"Absolutely not the man," her husband concurred.

Prosecutor Colvin said:

"The domestic episode staged in this household to-night should leave no doubt in the public mind that Gaines stands completely exonerated of every base and vile rumor to which he has been subjected since his daughter was found murdered."

AT HIS OWN REQUEST

Gaines had asked Colvin to have Mr. and Mrs. Stokes brought before him that they might declare him not the man.

William A. Gaines, Miss Sylvia's uncle, despite his overwrought mental and physical state, presided over yesterday's meeting of the county commissioners. He personally thanked Commissioners Wm. Brown and Frank Paul for their eagerness to co-operate with him and other officals to paving the way for Colvin's investigation.

"I want to see this slaying solved," said Commissioner Gaines. "There isn't the slightest doubt in my mind as to my brother's innocence. Nevertheless I am heart and soul for a complete and open investigation directed by a man in whom the public has full confidence.

Colvin previously had announced he planned to employ Luke May, expert crimologist. It was believed he would adhere to his original programme should developments warrant.

ALL AID DESIRED

"I wish," said Commissioner Brown of the county board, "we could make the reward $5,000, a sum large enough to interest every detective and detective agency in running down this foul crime."

Sheriff Matt Starwich admitted his office had failed to obtain a single clue to the murder mystery.

CROWDS SEE SPOT

It is said an error in the handling of the case by the police was that the scene of the crime was not fenced off immediately after the discovery of the murder early last Wednesday morning. It is possible clues were destroyed by the crowds which have visited the spot and tramped over the ground.

THRONG OF WOMEN AT CHURCH CONGRESS

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Sectional sessions are continuing through the day, with a men's meeting at night in the Municipal Stadium.

CANADIAN M.P. SPOKE

Dr. J. J. Guerin, M.P. for the St. Ann Division, Montreal, Governor Al Smith of New York, Mayor William E. Dever of Chicago, Former Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts and other lay Catholics stressed the note of tolerance in addresses at a banquet of the English-speaking Knights of St. Gregory last night.

Remarking that last night's banquet gave men who had been knighted by the Pope their first chance to express their gratitude as a unit, Dr. Guerin suggested some kind of an organization of knights be formed so they might meet again. The Canadian member of Parliament nominated Knight Commander D. F. Kelly of Chicago as the "convener of such a meeting."

GROWTH OF CHURCH

Telling of the Roman Catholic Church in Canada, Dr. Guerin said: "It is growing at a great pace. Catholic families in Canada often number ten and fifteen, so that our numerical strength is forging steadily ahead."

Divorce was virtually unknown among the Canadian Catholics, Dr. Guerin said.

VICTORIA DOCTORS TENDER BANQUET TO MEDICAL COUNCIL

Leading Surgeons and Physicians of Canada Guests of City Medicos

The Victoria Medical Society last night at the Empress Hotel entertained to dinner the members of the Council of the Canadian Medical Association, the seventy local practitioners attending having over fifty of the most prominent physicians and surgeons of Canada as their guests, in addition to a number of leaders of their profession from the United States, South Africa and Great Britain.

Dr. J. W. Lennox occupied the chair, and a long toast list was featured with many happy and informative addresses.

Dr. George Hall proposed the health of the Council in a happy address, the response being by Retiring President Dr. David Low of Regina. Dr. Forrest Leeder, president-elect, welcomed the Council to Victoria.

Dr. F. N. G. Starr of Toronto University, expressed appreciation of the work of the Victoria Medical Society in making such a success of the organization of the convention programme.

Dr. J. D. Fitzgerald, director of the laboratory of Toronto University, and acting chairman of the council sessions, dealt with the progress achieved by the Canadian Medical Association in the past year. Dean C. F. Martin of the medical faculty of McGill University, Montreal, touched upon the advancement in medical education in the Canadian Universities in recent years.

Dr. A. T. Bazin of McGill University, treasurer of the Canadian Medical Association, spoke on the organization of the Association and the development of the Association's Journal, now considered one of the best medical journals published.

Dr. T. C. Routley of Toronto, secretary-general of the Association, praised the organization of the present Convention and referred to the work of the late Dr. M. Raynor in the early planning of the programme.

Dr. L. B. Goldschmidt of Cape Town, brought the greetings of the medical profession of South Africa. Dr. L. J. Austin of Queens University, Kingston, spoke on problems confronting the student of modest means seeking a medical education.

Dr. A. J. Grant of the Western Ontario University of London, Ont., Dr. J. D. McDougall of Dalhousie University, Halifax and Dr. H. H. Murphy of Kamloops, President of the B.C. Medical Association, also spoke during the evening.

FINE WORK BEING ACCOMPLISHED BY BAPTIST W.M.S.

Reports Show Progress in All Departments of Mission Work

Reports of the various branches of work occupied the attention of the Baptist Women's Missionaries Societies at this morning's session. The credentials committee report showed that eighty-four delegates are now in attendance from all parts of the province.

Mrs. W. E. Bradwin for the devotional exercises which opened the session took the theme, "God's Promises for the Afflicted." Mrs. Brawwin later presented the report of the home field, showing the amount of work which has been accomplished in this direction.

Mrs. E. P. Miller was again in the chair for yesterday afternoon's session, when reports were proceeded with. Mrs. Estabrook gave the report of the isolated Baptists. Mrs. Fuller, for the Bureau of Literature, announced that Kelowna headed the province in the reading contest conducted under this branch of the work.

The amendments which arose out of the report of the constitutional committee were unanimously adopted. Mrs. Boyer reported that the mission bands were working strongly, and Mrs. Strickland was equally encouraging in her report on the baby bands.

For the girls' work, Mrs. C. N. Staines reported that while the numbers were not large the results were most encouraging and many Sunday School classes had been organized.

Mrs. C. J. White of Summerland gave a comprehensive resume of the foreign work and announced that thirty-one per cent of the annual budget was being expended in this field. A message from the Rev. Stillwell of Toronto, giving the latest report of the work in India showed that there were 2,060 baptisms there last year and there were now 19,000 native converts. Prayers were asked for Dr. Smith and Dr. Cross who are ill.

Mrs. Angus Galbraith presided at the supper gathering when greetings from the city, the Presbyterian, Anglican and United Churches were received, Mrs. Litch responding.

The auditorium was crowded for the evening meeting, when Miss Selman gave a fine address on her work at Akidu, India. Greetings were also brought by representatives from the Baptist Church of the United States, Dr. and Mrs. Scarboro speaking of the conventions in the North and South. Professor Carnell pleased the congregation with his rendering of negro spirituels.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. David Low of Regina, president of the Canadian Medical Association, with Mrs. Low, Miss Margaret Low and Miss Margaret Low Macdonald, are guests at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Low was in Victoria nine years ago when she attended the National convention of the I.O.D.E. in the capacity of honorary treasurer of the Provincial Chapter of Saskatchewan.

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Mrs. A. Sharp of San Francisco, accompanied by her children, is spending a few months in Victoria as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Simpson, Niagara Street.

NEW DIESEL TUG STRATH GOES ON TRIAL CRUISE

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the new Diesel tug Strath, built by Turpel's Marine Railway for the Victoria Tug Company, proceeded out of the Inner Harbor on her trial trip. The staunch little craft proceeded as far as William Head.

Capt. James Olson, formerly master of the tug Swell, another of the company's boats, was on the bridge, while T. Rasmussen is chief engineer of the Strath.

WESTERN SOCCER BEST IN CANADA, SAYS KINGSCOTT

Honorary Treasurer of English Football Association Talks to Kiwanians

The the Western cities had provided stronger competition for the team of English soccer experts at present touring the Dominion of Canada than any other part of the country, was the assertion made today at the meeting of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, where members of this aggregation of association football players was entertained, by A. G. Kingscott, honorary treasurer of the English Football Association, traveling with the team. As the visitors moved West, said Mr. Kingscott, they had encountered harder competition all along the route and at the same time had "found their own feet," as he expressed it. For this reason he considered that the brand of soccer in Western Canada was superior to that of the East and of the Prairies.

"Everywhere we have been," said Mr. Kingscott, "we have received the most enthusiastic welcomes and have been treated royally. But wherever and whenever we expressed our thanks we were told :'Wait until you get to Victoria.' Now we know what they meant," said he.

The manner in which the men had been treated, Mr. Kingscott declared, was such that it defied words to express the thanks and appreciation of the members of the team, he stated.

He complimented the Kiwanis Club on the manner in which they organized their luncheon meetings. Such things among business men were to him an innovation, he said. He was particularly impressed with the songs which the members sang, and declared that it must put them in a good frame of mind for their work. Such a custom, to his mind, would prove most invigorating, he said.

FINE HOSPITALITY

"We have left impressions in Canada which we hope will be good and lasting, and we are taking away impressions which we will long remember," said Mr. Kingscott. "We cannot express in words just what we feel," he concluded, "but are truly grateful for the reception we have received and for the hospitality and kindness extended to us by the people of Canada."

B. C. Nicholas, president of the Kiwanis Club, welcomed the guests on behalf of the organization.

"We are entertaining the exponents of soccer perfection," he declared. "It is a privilege to be able to do this, not only in the interests of sport, but because their visit is an additional link between us and the Mother Land."

"There was no aggregation outside of the Old Country which could seriously threaten this team of soccer experts," said the chairman. Their visit would creat a revival of this popular game, he believed, and at the same time teach those who would participate in it many things which would improve their style of play.

He hoped, he said, when the players returned to their homes that they would tell their friends a story of Canada as they found it, of its great possibilities for men of courage and ambition and of the untold wealth that lay within its borders.

Frank and Arthur Partridge, two singers of exceptional merit, sang two duets during the programme of entertainment after the luncheon. The Kiwanis orchestra rendered selections throughout the luncheon.

TO-DAY'S RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	4	11	1
Boston	2	8	1

Batteries—Grimes and Hargrave; Genewich and J. Taylor.

At New York (1st game)	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	6	12	1
New York	2	7	2

Batteries: Carlson and Henline; Fitzsimmons, Davies and Florence.

At New York (2nd game).
Philadelphia-New York called first inning—rain.

At Cincinnati—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	12	0
Cincinnati	3	9	2

Batteries—Osborn, Bush and Hartnett; May and Hargarve.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington—	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	13	3
Washington	8	13	1

Batteries—Beall, Pennock, Shocker and Collins; Reuther, Ferguson, Marberry and Ruel.

At Philadelphia-Boston game postponed—rain.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	11	1
Chicago	4	14	0

Batteries—Smith and Myatt; Lyons and Grabowski, Schalk.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	9	1
Detroit	9	14	1

Batteries—Wingard, Gaston, Vangilder, Ballou and Dixon, Schang; Whitehill, Dubois and Woodall.

SPOKANE GOLF

Spokane, June 22.—Roy Moe of Portland, yesterday's medallist in the qualifying round of the Pacific Northwest Amateur Golf Championship, was one down to H. A. Flenger of Seattle, Northwest Amateur Champion, at the end of the morning round of eighteen holes in to-day's match play.

Other scores at the end of the first half on the day's play included Jim Wall of Spokane, three up on Jack Matson of Victoria.

DAMAGE CLAIM LOST BY KEATING FARMER

Appeal Court Deaf to Plea of Ghost Car by Counsel

City Lighting System is Subject of Discussion

A dust-covered gravel truck, described by counsel as a ghost car, unexpectedly looming into view, caused an accident which human ingenuity could not avoid, E. L. Tait submitted in the appeal of General Service Transport Limited against Judge Lampman's award of $145 in favor of Leonard P. Collins, Keatings farmer.

With a majority of the Appeal Court expressing the opinion the driver of the car shared the blame with the driver of the gravel truck the judgment awarding damages to Collins was overruled and the appeal allowed. Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice McPhillips dissented.

J. B. Clearihue appeared for appellant and E. L. Tait for respondent.

The appeal was against damages awarded after an accident on Johnson and Quadra Streets about 5 o'clock on November 14, 1925. It was alleged that the gravel truck drawn by Ernest Myers, not equipped with headlights, was being driven north along Quadra street. Collins was driving east along Johnson Street. As Collins crossed the road the cars crashed and the fender, bumper and headlight were smashed when his car hit the near wheel of the truck.

The power of cluster lights at street corners to throw a light across the road was questioned by Mr. Tait in his arguments.

The evidence given by City Electrician M. Hutchinson at the trial that there were eight cluster lights with no globes was quoted, Mr. Hutchinson said the lights were not of great intensity.

The lights were not there to give a light equal to daylight, Mr. Tait said when it was suggested the city lighting system was wrong.

Men crossing the streets were supposed to look out for all danger, Chief Justice Macdonald said in answer to Mr. Tait's arguments that the car was an active menace to life in darting across the street.

Mr. Justice McPhillips strenuously criticized the driving of the automobile truck in his dissenting judgment. Much had been heard about camouflage in the late war, he said, and the dust covered truck was thrust out into the street as a menace to life.

NO SETTLEMENT IS REACHED YET

Master Builders to Meet To-night, Following Conference This Morning With Strikers

Members of the Victoria Builders' Exchange and spokesmen for the carpenters' union were in conference again this morning, seeking a settlement of differences as to the scale of wages to be paid. The meeting was called at 10.30 a.m., and for several hours the case was discussed by representatives of both sides without action taken.

Yesterday representatives of the Builders' Exchange met the leaders of the carpenters' union with a tentative offer. This was understood to be $6.50 a day for present work and $7 a day as from the first of September. The carpenters rejected the offer.

A further conference was held to-day after negotiations had proceeded under J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor in the Provincial Government. Failing a settlement at to-day's session, the Builders' Exchange will hold a meeting to-night.

The strike began three weeks ago, the carpenters leaving work on June 1, following their announced intention to do so if their demands for a $7 a day wage and an agreement with the Builders' Exchange were not met.

The strike put a stop to building operations in parts of the city, and has retarded work on many contracts, as plasterers and finishing men could not be employed until the carpenters had completed their work. In isolated cases work proceeded with non-union labor, but the tie-up has been widespread and general.

Langford

Special to The Times

Langford, June 22.—All parents and friends are invited to be present at the annual school picnic on Friday at 2 p.m. with refreshments and china for their owen needs: F. Smedley has arranged a good programme of swimming and field sports. The teachers will present the school prizes during the afternoon.

Mrs. A. Kay of Goldstream Road was hostess to a merry crowd of young folks to-day to celebrate her son Gerald's fifth birthday. A delicious tea was served, followed by fruit, chocolates and strawberry ice cream. Games were engaged, and many photographs were taken before the visitors left reluctantly for their homes. The children present were: Gerald and Hughie Kay, Betty, Margaret, Howard and Glenys Smedley, Stella, Eileen, Oswald and Claude Hincks, Tom and Molly Dixon and little Norma Baskerville.

Owing to Miss Peacey presiding over the High School entrance examinations at the Colwood Centre, the junior rooms of the Langford School will close on Tuesday afternoon.

Five pupils are sitting for the High School entrance examinations, to-wit: Wilma Pike, Cecily Setchfield, Ada Simpson, Keith Brown and Kenneth Bertram Hincks.

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MEDICAL CONVENTION CALLS LABOR LEADERS' ATTENTION TO NEED OF STRONG ACTION

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FIRST DAY'S WORK

Yesterday afternoon the Council went on record as favoring a world-wide clearing house of medical and surgical knowledge, on lines favored by the British and French medical associations.

For the broadcasting of the latest ideas in medicine throughout the profession in Canada, about 100 experts in various aspects of medical and surgical practice will make tours of Canada and give addresses to the medical communities. The discussion showed great expectations of the new method of disseminating knowledge, as compared with the expensive post-graduate courses hitherto found necessary by the physician or surgeon who desired to keep abreast with the rapid progress of medical knowledge.

THANK PRINCE

The Council ordered a message of thanks to be forwarded to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, for the honor accorded by his acceptance of the position of Honorary Patron of the Canadian Medical Association.

Sir Charles Sherrington of London, England, an eminent physiologist, will be invited to deliver the Lord Lister Memorial oration at next year's convention. The oration is a triennial celebration. A special committee will consider plans for erection of a suitable memorial to the late Sir William Osler.

DELEGATES TO BRITAIN

The Canadian Medical Association will be represented at the Nottingham convention of the British Medical Association next month by the following: Dr. A. C. Archibald and Dr. W. L. Barlow of Montreal, Dr. S. Johnston, Dr. R. D. Rudolf, Dr. C. L. Starr, Dr. Dennis Jordan, Dr. F. A. Cleland and Dr. H. A. Bruce of Toronto. Affiliation of the two bodies had been highly appreciated by the British Medical Association, a report stated.

BUFFALO MAN CLAIMS $63,947 DAMAGES

Says Timber Limits Sold Were Not as Represented

Appeals Order Increasing the Amount of Security For Costs

Judgment was reserved yesterday by the B.C. Court of Appeal on the amount of security for costs in litigation over B.C. timber limits in which Maurice M. Wall, lumberman, of Buffalo, N.Y., claims $63,947.77 and rescission of a contract entered into with Francis B. Wells, Revelstoke merchant, and Samuel Hill, timber locator, formerly of Revelstoke, and now of County Antrim, Ireland.

Seventeen timber limits at Oullet Creek, Osoyoos district, purchased by plaintiff for $14,000,000 in 1909 are involved, the Buffalo lumberman alleging that the timber licenses he was sold did not cover the areas mentioned as represented. The sum mentioned as damages is made up of the purchase price, interest from 1909, license fee, assessments, legal fees and various other expenses.

Notice for a rescission of the contract was filed in 1924. On application to Mr. Justice Morrison judgment was given compelling plaintiff to give more security for costs. The sum of $150 had been paid in for costs. Mr. Justice Morrison ordered another $850 should be paid in for costs, increasing the amount to $1,000, and ordered a stay of proceedings until the amount was paid.

F. C. Elliott appeared for appellant and E. L. Tait for respondent.

SENATE TO DEBATE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Discussion in Upper House in Ottawa is Set For To-morrow on Foster's Motion

Ottawa, June 22 (Canadian Press)—In the Senate last night, when Sir George Foster moved that a motion of his regarding the League of Nations be placed on the order paper for Wednesday, Senator J. P. B. Casgrain said it was a pity not to have the matter before the Senate.

"If we had a free evening we might have a pleasant time talking about the League of Nations before it dies a natural death," he said.

"My honorable friend is looking for a corpse that has not yet materialized," replied Sir George Foster.

MRS. H. WALKER BURNED TO DEATH

Tragedy at Newmarket, Eng.; Victim Was Well-known Race Horse Owner

Newmarket, England, June 22.—Mrs. Huntley Walker, widely known society woman and racehorse owner, was burned to death at her home here to-day when her hair caught fire as she was dressing it.

Among the horses Mrs. Walker owned was Hidennis, winner of the Chester Cup this year.

Mrs. Walker owned the Villa del So at San Remo, one of the most beautiful properties on the Italian Riviera. Her husband was reputed to have "broken the bank" at Monte Carlo in 1909, winning $90,000 in two hours. He was famous as a racing motorist.

Mr. Walker was walking in the grounds of his estate when he wife was burned to death.

F. W. Bowes Died In City of Halifax

Halifax, June 22.—Frederick Williams Bowes, prominent in the Maritime Provinces as a newspaperman, died here yesterday after an illness of three weeks. He was born in Sackville, N.B.

BASEBALL, BOXING **TIMES SPORTING NEWS** GOLF, BOWLING

"Big Three" Sticking To Original Choice For Football Game

Record Crowd Will Watch Game Between Locals and English Touring Eleven

Visitors Enjoy Themselves Immensely; Forgot Their Training Rules Yesterday

No changes will be made in the Victoria All-star team which is to oppose the English footballers to-morrow at 6 o'clock.

Such was the announcement made last night by "The Big Three" who direct football on the Lower Island. They intend to stick by their original selection and let the barbs of criticism fall.

This means that Percy Shrimpton will play goal and Joe Watt and Whyte will be the full-backs. Reg Shanks, Johnny Peden and Tommy Hay will be on the half-back line with Cummings, Cameron, Coulter, Smith and Clarkson as the forwards.

Considerable criticism has been levelled at this team, but "The Big Three' feel that they have done their best and will let it go at that. All-star teams usually call forth plenty of discussion.

WILL SHOW THEIR CLASS

Nevertheless the fans that attend the game to-morrow night will see one real team in action. No matter if the local team was changed in its obvious weak spots, the result of the game would not be affected. The spectators will travel to the Royal Athletic Park to see the Englishmen perform. They will be anxious to see how accurately these men can place the ball, shoot and manoeuvre. It will be an education to young and old and be a treat for Old Country folks who have been away from first-class football for a long time.

There is no question but that one of the biggest crowds that has ever attended a soccer game in this city will be on hand to-morrow. Tickets for the game have been eagerly snapped up, and the grandstand was nearly sold out this morning. The unreserved tickets will no doubt prove very attractive at the gate to-morrow. The game starts at 6 o'clock and not 5.30 as announced in some of the advertising.

The Englishmen are revelling in their great programme of entertainment. Training rules were knocked sideways yesterday and nearly every man on the team wished that he could settle down here. The married men longed to have had "the missus" with them so that they could have eaten the strawberries, the cherries and the ice cream and seen the flowers.

After the Gyro Club had initiated the visitors into community singing yesterday at noon the Englishmen started for a motor drive around Gordon Head and called on Rotarian "Tom" Walker, at his fine farm. "Tom" welcomed the boys with his big right hand and a glass of apple cider all round. Then he led them out to the strawberry patch, then into the cherry orchard and Magee, the diminutive half-back, found the gooseberry bushes.

OLD ACQUAINTANCES

The first man to shake hands with "Tom" Walker was Laurie Edwards, trainer of the team, who hails from "Tom's" county, Herefordshire. When they got to yarning they discovered they held mutual acquaintances.

Before the footballers left the Walker Farm, Jimmy Adam, official guide, pinned a badge on Mrs. Walker, making her a member of the team.

The party then motored to the beautiful home of Dave Spencer, Cook Street, where Mrs. Spencer entertained the visitors to afternoon tea. The profusion of flowers and the beauty of the grounds greatly impressed the visitors and the view of Mt. Baker and the adjacent peaks, with the islands of the Gulf and the well-kept farms in the foreground, kept them gazing in rapture for long stretches.

Last evening the team enjoyed a "Wild West Frolic" at the Knights of Pythias Hall. The party was arranged by the Sons of England, and after a long spell of playing the horses and other games, dancing was indulged in. To-day the Kiwanis Club entertained the visitors to luncheon, and afterwards drove them to Butchart's Garden. To-night the party will be guests at a banquet tendered by the Lower Island Football Association.

A form of entertainment that they had not enjoyed elsewhere on their present tour was presented to four members of the visiting all-star English football team who were taken to Brentwood this morning and caught a salmon apiece trolling with the waters of the Arm.

Jimmy Adam, Alderman E. S. Woodward and others called for the visitors at 5 a.m., and in less than an hour's time hauled on board the first fish. The visitors were thoroughly delighted with the experience.

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CECIL LEITCH AND FRENCH CHAMPION TO-DAY'S WINNERS

Harlech, Wales, June 22—The only United States representative in the British Women's golf championship withdrew to-day when Miss Rosamond Sherwood of Boston, defaulted to Mrs. G. R. Long.

The third round matches to-day included a contest between Mlle. Simone de Lachaume, the French champion, and Miss M. Hartwill, a strong Midland player. Mlle. Lachaume won by 3 and 2.

Miss Cecil Leitch had an easy time in this round, defeating Mrs. Lewis Smith, 8 and 7.

Suzanne Has Hard Game With Mary K. But Wins As Usual

Leading American Entry Defeated at Wimbledon in Straight Sets, 6-2, 6-3

Vincent Richards Eliminated By Henri Cochet of France in Four Sets

Wimbledon, Eng., June 22.—The second day's play of the Wimbledon tennis tournament started under nearly as favorable weather conditions as the first. The air was a trifle cooler, but there was not enough wind to bother the players.

The programme for the day promised some excellent tennis.

Howard Kinsey of California defeated J. B. Gilbert, left-handed British player, 6-1, 6-4.

Jacques Brugnon, French holder of the British hard court championship, defeated D. A. Hodges, young Midlands star, 7-5, 6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Kitty McKane Godfre defeated Mrs. Von Elmisen in straight love sets.

Lady Crossfield had a walk-over when the single entries of Miss Helen Wills were scratched.

Arthur Lowe defeated George Watson, 6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

Suzanne Lenglen eliminated Miss Mary K. Browne, captain of the United States Wightman Cup team, from the women's singles, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Joan Fry deefated Mrs. Marshall, 6-1, 6-0.

S. C. Fisher defeated R. D Watson, 7-5, 1-6, 7-5, 6-4.

N. Sharpe defeated M. J. Ritchie, 6-3, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

Miss Elizabeth Ryan, United States, defeated Mrs. Colgate, England, 6-0, 6-4.

Vincent Richards, outstanding United States star in the Wimbledon lawn tennis tournament, was eliminated to-day by Henri Cochet, France, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

Richards also lost to Cochet in the recent hard court championship tournament at Paris.

Mrs. M. Watson defeated Miss R. Watson, 6-0, 8-6.

M. Van Lennep, Holland, defeated A. H. Gobert, 2-6, 7-5, 7-5, 8-6.

P. D. B. Spence defeated E. Petersen, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Miss Betty Nettall defeated Miss Melliott, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2.

English Champ Beats Frenchman on Points

London, June 22.—Elky Clark, European flyweight champion, last night defeated Francois Moracchini, the French champion, in Albert Hall in a twenty-round fight. Clark winning on points.

Batting Records Go Up While Pitching Marks Are Shattered

Terrific Assault Made on Deliveries Yesterday; 209 Safe Hits in Eight Games

Two Hundred Players Used and 34 of Them Pitchers; 102 Runs Scored

New York, June 22—Batting records for the National League cover yards of paper to-day and many a pitching arm is weary. Seldom do five games in any circuit create the imposing figures that came from yesterday's combats in the Heydler wheel and the American playing only three contests was not so far behind. In eight major league battles 209 safe hits were scored, accounting for 102 runs. Two hundred names appeared in the box scores, thirty-four of them belonging to pitchers.

A sixteen-inning struggle at Cincinnati in which the league-leaders rallied to tie Chicago in the ninth and win eventually, helped to swell the averages.

Jack Hendricks used four of his best moundsmen in winning the game—Rixey, Mays, Nehf and Donohue.

HIT HEAVILY

It was a hectic day for Pittsburgh and St. Louis, each team driving out fourteen hits in a 13 to 11 victory for the Pirates.

Brookly and Boston divided a double bill, the first contest going to the Braves in eleven innings 8-7, and the Dodgers winning the second 6-4.

Jack Scott showed the best pitching in either league to beat Philadelphia 10-3, ably supported by the Giant bats.

In the American League the Athletics downed Boston 7-6 in eleven innings, using three pitchers to accomplish the feat.

It required ten innings for Detroit to topple the St. Louis Browns 5-4, Warner of the Tigers, featuring with a triple, double and single.

The Cleveland Indians gained full possession of second place by beating Chicago 5-2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	5	11	0
Chicago	2	8	0

Batteries—Shaute and Myatt; Thomas, Edwards and Crouse.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	6	15	1
Philadelphia	7	12	0

Batteries—Zahniser, Ruffing and Gaston; Ehmke, Willis, Rommel and Cochrane.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
St Louis	4	10	1
Detroit	5	9	1

Batteries—Zachary and Hargrave; Wells and Manion, Woodall.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	11	14	2
Pittsburgh	15	14	3

Batteries—Them, Johnson, Reinhardt, Sothoron, Huntzinger, Hallahan and O'Farrell; Meadows, Yde, Kremer and Gooch, Spencer.

At Boston. First game—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	7	16	5
Boston	8	16	0

Batteries—Vance and Hargrave; Mogridge, Ehrhardt and J. Taylor.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	6	14	2
Boston	4	15	3

Batteries — Barnes and O'Neill; Cooney and Gibson.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	6	1
New York	10	18	1

Batteries .. Mitchell and Henline; Scott and Florence, McMullen.

At Cincinnati—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	12	2
Cincinnati	6	17	3

Batteries .. Mitchell, Piercy and Hartnett; Rixey, May, Nehf and Donohue.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Buffalo 3, Reading 12.
Syracuse 12, Newark 14.
Toronto 3, Baltimore 7.
Rochester 2, Jersey City 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus 3, St. Paul 13.
Toledo 8, Minneapolis 1.
Indianapolis 7, Milwaukee 2.
Louisville 5, Kansas City 2.

American Association

Columbus 5, St. Paul 13.
Louisville 5, Kansas City 2.
Toledo 8, Minneapolis 1.
Indianapolis 7, Milwaukee 2.

Western League

St. Joseph 8, Denver 12.
Only one game scheduled.

Jack McGill Retains Vancouver Net Title

Vancouver, June 22.—Jack McGill yesterday retained the men's city tennis championship. He defeated Geoff Peers 6-1, 8-6, 6-3. Miss Dot Gillespie won the women's city title by defeating Mrs. A. Graham 4-6, 6-2, 6-1.

Almost uncanny placements and rock-like steadiness won for McGill. Peers displayed the greater number of strokes, hit the ball harder and uncorked a dazzling service. But he was very erratic, netting enough balls to have won him the match.

Mrs. Graham's bid for the woman's championship was one which classes her one of the finest singles players in the city. She was up against hard hitting, clever racquet fielder in Miss Gillespie, and she carried the battle to the last ditch.

SOFT-BALL

The Y.M.C.A. and the Hillcrests will provide the main feature in "A" section of the Softball League this evening. These teams are tied for premier honors in their section and the winner to-night will head the league. The game will be played at Central Park.

The Onwegos and the Navy will also meet at Central Park. This should prove an exciting engagement. The other scheduled "A" section game will be between Foul Bay and Esquimalt at the Canteen grounds.

In "B" section much the same situation exists as in the "A" department. The Andreans and the Bluebirds are the teams which are jointly leading the section and these will meet at Beacon Hill Park to decide the leadership.

At Victoria West Park the Cameron Tigers will play the Hudson's Bay. Both teams have figured in some hard games lately and should put up a good exhibition to-night. Harris & Smith and the Bapcos will meet at Foul Bay.

"C" section interest centres more around the lower teams. The Y.M.C.A. "B" squad are billed to take on the Tillicums at Beacon Hill. Last week both these teams won their games.

Flimley & Ritchie, who turned the tables on the Normal School in their last tussle, will encounter Lemon Gonnasons. Wilson Bros. will hook up with the Sons of England at Macaulay Point.

Sidney To Engage Spencers Again In Commercial League

Second Half of Schedule to Open To-night With Battle Between Top Teams

Commercial League baseball fans can journey to the Royal Athletic Park to-night prepared to witness an exceedingly fast and exciting game. The principals will be Sidney and Spencers, who will hook up in the first encounter of the second half of the schedule. The game will commence at 6.30 o'clock with Harold Fetherstone as umpire.

The teams which play to-night are at present tied for top place in the first half of the schedule. A snappy battle should be the result of their meeting.

Dave Donaldson and Williams, two old reliables, will do the mound work for Spencers and Sidney, respectively. These hurlers have opposed each other in pitching duels before and each will try hard to pull his team through to victory.

Yawl Poinsettia is Only 382 Miles From Honolulu; Sets Record

Long Beach, Cal., June 22.—The yawl Poinsettia was but 382 miles from her Honolulu goal in the San Pedro-Honolulu yacht race last night at 7 o'clock, her captain and owner, Walter Horne, messaged to the Associated Press through amateur radio station 6-CGU here. Her distance from Long Beach was given as 2,089 miles, or thirty-three miles ahead of the race record made in 1923 by the Mariner, also an entry in the present race.

Jack Matson Among Those Who Qualified In P.N.W. Tourney

Spokane, June 22—R. C. Moe, of the Alderwood Golf Club, Portland, won the medalist honors in the qualifying round of the Pacific Northwest amateur golf championship here yesterday with a score of 141, three under par, for thirty-six holes. Three tied for second place—C. A. Griswold, San Francisco; Forest Watson, Spokane, and Dr. O. F. Willing, Portland, with scores of 145.

Jack Matson, Victoria, with 163, was seventeenth; A. Bull, Vancouver, 167, was twentieth, and T. R. Wilson, Nelson, B.C., with 179, was twenty-ninth. All qualified.

Sons of Canada to Encounter Millmen At Sidney To-night

Intermediate lacrosse teams will again get into action to-night when the Sons of Canada will visit Sidney to try conclusions with the millmen.

Sidney will field strongly augmented lineup in an attempt to put away the natives.

The game will commence at 6.30 o'clock. Frank Smith will handle the plays.

Following are the players who will represent the Sons: Jones, Jack Taylor, Kennedy, Rickensen, Bissell, Macmurchie, Russell, Cann, John Taylor, Smith, Godwyn, Gilson, Plater, Bryant, Collier and Nicol.

ANOTHER SEAGRAM WIN

Fort Erie, Ont., June 22. — The Thoroid Handicap for Canadian bred three-year-olds and up, feature of the second day's racing at the Niagara Association track here, was added to the long winning list of the Seagram stable when Beau of the West carried the black and yellow colors to a decisive victory yesterday.

In winning the sixth race, New Beauty provided a treat for the long shot artists. The mare led from barrier to the finish wire in the event and returned her backers $42.85 for $2.

Uplands "B" Team Defeats Macaulay in All-day Golf Match

Results of the match between the "B" teams of the Uplands and Macaulay Point golf clubs, played at Macaulay on Sunday were as follows, with the Uplands players named first in each case:

Singles

R. Foulis 1, W. B. Christopher 2.
J. B. Shaw 3, W. Wills 0.
R. D. Travis 3, Major J. G. Smith 0.
J. R. Hibberson 3, T. Brown 0.
B. H. Aaronson 3, A. Roberts 0.
A. R. Henshall 0, W. Okell 3.
G. S. Carr 0, Capt. H. L. Roberts 3.
A. C. Futcher 3, E. H. Johnston 0.
D. W. Campbell 3, A. Lable 0.
J. B. Lambert ½, V. M. Gallon 2½.
W. Wilkie 3, M. H. Hurley 0.
Capt. W. E. Tapley 3, Major G. Sisman 0.
Total: Uplands 25½, Macaulay 10½.

Foursomes

Foulis and Shaw 4, Christopher and Wills 0.
Travis and Hibberson 4, Smith and Brown 0.
Aaronson and Henshall 1, Roberts and Okell 3.
Carr and Futcher ½, Capt. Roberts and Johnston 3½.
Campbell and Lambert 3, Lable and Gallon 1.
Wilkie and Tapley 2, Hurley and Sisman 2.
Total: Uplands 14½, Macaulay 9½.
Grand total: Uplands 40, Macaulay 20.

First Inter-city Cricket Game This Year In Vancouver

Victoria Will Travel to Mainland on July 1 to Accommodate Mainlanders

At a meeting of the executive of the Victoria and District Cricket Association, held last evening, the request made of the Mainland Cricket League that the first inter-city cricket match between the Vancouver and Victoria teams be played at Vancouver on July 1 was granted. In the past the first match has always been held here on Dominion Day, but this is always the big holiday in Vancouver and the cricketers wanted to have a home match that day.

The suggestion also from Vancouver that the first match be held in future years at Victoria on May 24 was discussed, but it was felt that the final decision be left to the semi-annual general meeting in the Fall.

SECOND MATCH HERE AUG. 21

The second match will be played at Victoria on August 21. In the event of each team winning one game, the play-off will take place at Vancouver on Labor Day.

The Flumerfelt Cup, hitherto the trophy at stake in the inter-city games and now the property of the Victoria and District Association, will be handed over to the Junior League of Victoria. The Gardner-Johnson Cup, recently donated by Major Gardner-Johnson of Vancouver, now becomes the trophy for future matches between the Mainland and Island cricket teams. Secretary Major Howden was instructed to write Secretary Radcliffe of Vancouver, thanking the donor of the cup and wholeheartedly accepting and agreeing to its conditions. In order that selection may be made of the team to oppose the Mainland players at Vancouver on July 1 the following will play at Beacon Hill cricket grounds on Saturday next, beginning at 11 o'clock:

Rep Team—Major Howden (captain), F. Watson, A. Sparks, R. Wenman, J. Matson, Leggatt, Gravett, Hoggath, Saxon-White, Hammer-Jones, Crossland.

The Rest—Percy Payne, H. Allen, Matthews, Freeman, Barber-Starkey, Le May, Jondan, Dunlop, McIlmoyle, A. N. Other.

Dempsey-Tunney Bout is Barred

New York, June 22—The New York State Athletic Commission to-day refused to sanction Tex Rickard's proposal to stage a heavyweight title battle between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney at the Yankee Stadium here on September 16. The vote was two to one.

Doreen Swayne Wins Final Tennis Match

Doreen Swayne and Zora McNab played the final match in the junior championships of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club yesterday afternoon, the former winning in straight sets, 6-1, 6-4. Miss Swayne played the consistent game which carried her to the top in the tournament, during which she never lost a set.

CRICKET POSTPONED

Owing to the soccer game between the touring English and the local team to-morrow afternoon the scheduled Wednesday cricket game has been postponed.

BASEBALL MEETING

A meeting of the Victoria Amateur Baseball League will be called for this evening at 8 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. All teams are asked to have representatives present.

WON SOFTBALL CUP

Margaret Jenkins School nine were the winners of the softball trophy for inter-school competition, winning practically all their games. The cup will be presented at a later date.

Golfers this year will not be permitted to carry professional caddies. This means they must do their own cussing.

Eagles Score Two Runs in Ninth And Beat Out Natives

Potts, Wachter and Ross, Heroes in Thrilling Game at Ball Park Last Night

Feathered Tribe Come From Behind in Final Session and Win Four to Three

LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sons of Canada	6	2	.750
Travelers	4	4	.500
Eagles	2	6	.250

When Alex Potts, the first man up in the latter half of the ninth inning, poled out a homer and tied the score at three-all in the game between the Sons of Canada and the Eagles last night at the Royal Athletic Park the Eagles' supporters went wild with delight. But when Tommy Wachter placed a beautiful single over Murty Dunn's head and then scored with the winning tally when McGinnis failed to tag him at home they were simply made with frenzy and left the grounds with the firm conviction that they had just seen the best ball game of the season. The score was 4-3.

It certainly seems as if the Eagles have hit their proper gait and are prepared to run up to the head of the league. And it was Johnny Kerr who was greatly responsible for the second victory of the feathered tribe. It was he also who pitched them to an 18-4 win over the Travelers last Monday. Last night he struck out eight batters which allowing the Sons but seven safe bingles.

HOW THEY SCORED

The Eagles gained their runs in the first and last innings, two in each. The Sons were able to get but two in the fourth when they contributed two singles which with a sacrifice hit and a hit by pitcher gave them two runs and one in the sixth when an error, a stolen base, a pass ball and a ground out brought Murty Dunn home with a tally.

It was "Hap" Gandy who started the good work for the Eagles. Gandy made no bones about the quality of Jack Curtis' offerings. He banged one of the good ones for two bases toward the left field fence. Richards slammed a hard liner at Johnson and was out. George Gandy also failed to get to first when Thomas scooped up his hard swat. When Sallaway dropped Miller's high fly and thus gave him a life, he also let "Hap" Gandy score. Potts let four balls pass him by for a walk and then Tommy Wachter did a big hitting stunt, slamming the pill for two bases against the left field boards. Miller joggled home with a tally on this clout. Bobby Ross whiffed.

When Murty Dunn took one of Johnny Kerr's balls on his side in the fourth and got to first that way he started the ball rolling for the Sons. Bill Holman added a single into left and Sallaway sacrificed him along. Mosher hit safely over second base scoring Dunn and Holman. McGinnis struck out, retiring the side.

Murty Dunn had most of the work done for him in the sixth. Potts dropped Richard's peg which would have retired Dunn. He stole second and was eased to third on a pass ball. He came in while Richards was throwing Sallaway out at first.

A FINE CLOSING RALLY

With the score at three to two in the Sons' favor in the last half of the ninth the fans exhorted the Eagles by every vocal means known to them to score. Nor did Potts disappoint them. His hefty four-base clout over centre field well rewarded his efforts. It was all over when Wachter singled, stole second and came in safe when McGinnis failed to nail Johnson's peg to home on Ross' grounder.

Tommy Wachter turned in perhaps the most magnificent display of the year, both in the field and at bat. Out of four times at bat, Tommy gathered three singles and one double while in the field he accepted some sparkling chances and pulled off some neat catches. Jimmy Cummins was the Sons heavy hitter, getting two singles out of twice as many tries.

Jack Curtis, who worked the route for the Sons, pitched a great game and had hard luck in not coming through to victory. He struck out six batters and let the Eagles hit safely but eight times.

The box score follows:

Sons of Canada

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Johnson, ss.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Thomas, 3b.	5	0	1	0	2	0
Cummins, 1b.	4	0	2	7	0	1
Dunn, 2b.	3	2	1	3	1	0
Holman, cf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Sallaway, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Mosher, rf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
McGinnis, c.	4	0	0	6	0	1
Curtis, p.	4	0	0	1	3	0
Total	33	3	7	24	8	3

Eagles

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
H. Gandy, 3b.	4	1	1	2	1	0
Richards, 2b.	4	0	1	0	1	1
G. Gandy, lf.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Miller, ss.	4	1	1	1	4	2
Potts, 1b.	3	1	1	9	0	1
Wachter, cf.	4	1	4	3	0	0
Ross, c.	4	0	0	10	1	0
Hall, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kerr, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Post, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	4	8	27	11	4

Score by innings—

Sons of Canada	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	—3
Eagles	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—4

Summary—Home run, Potts; 3-base hit, Dunn; 2-base hits, Johnson, H. Gandy, Wachter; sacrifice hits, Sallaway (2); stolen bases, Dunn, Wachter; bases on balls, off Kerr 2, off Curtis 6; double play, Curtis to Dunn to Cummins; hit by pitcher, Dunn by Kerr; passed ball, Ross (1); left on bases, Sons 8, Eagles 6. Time of game, 1 hour 27 minutes. Umpires, "Allie" McGregor and "Bob" Whyte.

AUSTRALIA SCORES EASY VICTORY OVER COUNTY LANCASHIRE

Manchester, June 22 (Canadian Press Cable)—The Australian cricket team defeated the County of Lancashire here to-day by an innings and seventy-seven runs. The scores were:

Lancashire—First innings, 149; second innings, 148.

Australians—First innings, 374.

This morning's Lancashire scores were:

Barnes, not out, 38.

Green, c Andrews, b Mailey 9.

Macdonald, c Andrews, b Mailey 6.

Duckworth, c Collins, b Mailey 6.

Tyldesley, c Andrews, b Mailey 2.

Larkin, lbw., b Macartney, nothing.

Extras, 4.

Bowling analysis—Everett, one for 24; Macartney, 4 for 15; Mailey, 4 for 19; Richardson, one for 17; Ryder, 0 for 7.

Amateur Ball Team From Seattle Will Be Here Saturday

Alki Merchants Will Play Doubleheader With Sons and Travelers

Amateur League to Bring in Teams Each Saturday For Exhibition Games

Some fine baseball should be witnessed at the Royal Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon when the Alki merchants, of Seattle, engage the Sons of Canada and the Travelers, of the Victoria Senior League in a doubleheader. The games will start at 2 and 6.15 o'clock at the Royal Athletic Park, with "Allie" McGregor and Bob Whyte as umpires.

The games will inaugurate the new series arranged by the Amateur Baseball League. Outside teams are to be brought here for exhibition matches nearly every Saturday. In this way local fans will have an opportunity, not only of seeing the local teams to good advantage, but will be able to get a line on baseball as it is played by out-of-town teams.

HAVE REAL FAST TEAM

The Alki Merchants are rated as one of the best amateur teams in Seattle. Most of the players have been in baseball since they were youngsters and have nearly all played before on high school and senior teams. It will be a treat for the fans to watch these players perform on the diamond against the local squads.

In the first game the Sons of Canada will probably utilize the good right arm of Ray Parfitt, which has hurled them to more than one victory this season. The Merchants have two pitchers to select from, Dewey Smith and "Gil" Olson, both right-handers.

The Travelers have given no definite selection as to their twirler for the evening engagement, but both Jack Noble and Dan Lidstone are about due to take a turn on the mound.

THE SEATTLE PLAYERS

Following is a brief outline of the Seattle boys who will make the trip for the game on Saturday:

Right field—"Bud" Sen, plays with the All-city High School team, throws right-handed, bats left.

Centre field—"Len" O'Neill, former St. Martin's College star, throws and bats right-handed.

Left field—Ray Jury, Bank League star last year, throws right-handed and bats left.

Third base—"Les" Arnold, on the All-city High School team last year, throws and bats right-handed.

Shortstop—Dick Walsh, on the All-city High School team last year, throws and bats right-handed.

Second base—Ernie Kohl, was on the All-city High School team five years ago, plays with the Whitman College team, throws right-handed and bats left.

First base—Wilson Gaw, most promising young player in Seattle, was on the All-city High School team last year, throws and bats right-handed.

Catcher—Sam Burnsed, was on the All-city High School team three years ago and played with the Coal League last year, throws and bats right-handed.

Pitchers — Dewey Smith, has played with West Seattle and Seattle teams, throws and bats right-handed. "Gil" Olson, was with the Great Northern League last year, throws and bats right-handed.

Want Beresford to Defend His Sculling Cup in Philadelphia

Philadelphia, June 22.—Negotiations are under way for a sculling race in which Jack Beresford of London, world's sculling champion, would defend the Philadelphia Gold Challenge Cup against W. M. Hoover and other prominent United States scullers during the national championship here in August.

Annette, of India, And Westwood Prove Outstanding Players

Pair Making Great Impression in City Clay Court Tennis Championships

Play Gets Closer as Tourney Advances Towards Semi-finals; Hard Matches

V. Westwood, of Vancouver, and Annette, of Bombay, India, were the outstanding players in yesterday's matches at the Kingston Street Tennis Club, where the annual City Clay Court Championships are being played. Westwood, playing his first tournament match this season, appeared to be in excellent form and won his singles from Ismay in straight sets 6-2, 6-2. Annette, who is showing better form every day, played wonderful tennis.

Partnered by "Bud" Hocking, he won the first round of the men's doubles 6-1, 6-0. For this match Annette made only two errors, a truly marvelous performance. When the score stood one set and three games to love for Annette and Hocking the former player made his first error of the match, hitting a volley about three inches over the base line. At five love in the second set Annette made his second and last error when he mis-hit a return of service. The opposing team in this match was Witter and Jago.

In the only other men's doubles played yesterday McCallum and Gordon, B.C. champions, defeated Stock and Rumsby, of the Kingston Street club, in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1.

HARD MEN'S SINGLES

In the men's singles there were three very hard matches. "Bud" Hocking defeated G. C. Grant in two close sets, 6-4 and 7-5. Hocking was volleying well and won many points in this way. Hocking seemed to have difficulty with Grant's service but managed to break through once in each set. Grant is a left-hander and possesses a very good serve, but is somewhat unsteady with his ground strokes. Jago, of the B.C. Electric Club, Vancouver, had a hard match with McKeown, only winning after two close sets, 6-4, 8-6. McLaughlin defeated Chan 7-5, 6-2, the first set being very close.

Mrs. Verley and Miss Kenning staged the only three-set match in the ladies' singles. Mrs. Verley won the first set without the loss of a game, playing steady, consistent tennis. The match was not over, however, and Miss Kenning came back strong to win the second set 6-3. The third set went to Mrs. Verley by the same score.

Miss Mona Miller and Miss Jackson had a close match, the former winning 6-2, 6-4. Mary Campbell, also of the Victoria Club, defeated Miss Cass, losing only two games. Mrs. Ismay defeated Miss Kitchin 6-0, 6-4, in a match which was much closer than the score would show.

The feature match of to-day's play should be the single between Jim Cunningham and Annette. Play is improving every day and close matches will be the rule. Gordon, McCallum, Miss Hope Leeming, the Cunningham brothers, Annette and Westwood, will all be playing to-day and the competition will be very keen.

The full results of yesterday's play follow:

Men's Singles

J. Jago defeated W. A. McKeown, 6-4, 8-6.
J. H. McNaughton defeated R. Chan, 7-5, 6-2.
Lieut. Mainguy defeated H. B. Witter, 6-2, 6-3.
C. H. O'Halloran defeated H. S. Flett, 6-2, 6-2.
V. S. Westwood defeated J. H. McLaughlin, 6-4, 6-4.

Men's Doubles

McCallum and Gordon defeated Stock and Rumsby, 6-2, 6-1.
Hocking and Annette defeated Witter and Jago, 6-1, 6-0.

Mixed Doubles

Mrs. Verley and Meredith defeated Miss Thomas and Rumsby, 6-2, 6-1.
Miss Elkington and Oatman defeated Miss Kitchin and Berrill, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5.

Ladies' Singles

Mrs. Ismay defeated Miss Kitchin, 6-0, 6-4.
Miss M. Campbell defeated Miss D. Cass, 6-2, 6-0.
Mrs. Verley defeated Miss Kenning, 6-0, 3-6, 6-3.
Miss Miller defeated Miss Jackson, 6-2, 6-4.

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	35	25	.583
Pittsburgh	32	23	.582
St. Louis	35	26	.574
Chicago	30	29	.508
New York	29	31	.483
Brooklyn	28	30	.483
Boston	22	33	.400
Philadelphia	20	36	.357

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	43	18	.705
Philadelphia	34	29	.540
Chicago	34	28	.548
Cleveland	34	28	.543
Detroit	31	33	.484
Washington	28	31	.475
St. Louis	25	36	.410
Boston	17	43	.283

COAST LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	46	27	.630
Oakland	36	34	.528
Sacramento	38	37	.507
Mission	38	37	.507
Seattle	37	40	.481
Portland	36	40	.474
Hollywood	35	41	.461
San Francisco	32	44	.421

AT THE THEATRES

ROMANTIC TALE ON DOMINION FILM IS FEATURE ATTRACTION

Those who think romance died with the passing out of the sword and bluckler and quaint days of chivalry, and that the modern hustle and bustle of life has crowded out life's drama, need only see Marion Davies in "Beverly of Graustark" to learn that their theory is far afield.

Here is romance with a capital R—and all in modern dress. An automobile proves fully as romantic as a charger of old, and an American girl in modern garb fully as romantic and perhaps a great deal more alluring than any princess of the middle ages.

The new Cosmopolitan production, now playing at the Dominion Theatre, is George Barr McCutcheon's famous novel, told with a fidelity to his spirit that is remarkable and with Marion Davies in one of the most difficult and most remarkable roles in her entire career. Miss Davies plays an American girl, heroine of the play—but her most remarkable feat is when the heroine masquerades as a man.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"Ella Cinders."
Dominion—"Beverly of Graustark."
Coliseum—"Six Cylinder Love."
Playhouse—"The All-Blacks."
Columbia—"The King of the Turf."

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MATINEE SATURDAY
PLAYHOUSE

"LILIES OF STREETS" FULLY DEMONSTRATES POWER OF PICTURES

The power of the screen was demonstrated last night when the Playhouse Theatre presented the Metropolitan policewoman's picture, "Lilies of the Streets."

As, in the course of the gripping story, there was revealed the dangers and perils, the pitfalls of crime that surround innocent and ignorant girls in our modern life, the sympathies of those present were aroused to a degree that proved the deep impression made upon them by the realistic presentation.

Made under the supervision of Mrs. Mary E. Hamilton, chief of New York's force of policewomen, the story is based on actual cases, situations and incidents, which she personally has handled in her official capacity.

Virginia Lee Corbin, as the innocent victim of criminal wiles, became the pivot of action of a plot that grew in dramatic intensity to the stirring climax. Her youth, grace and beauty made her an instant favorite, while her portrayal of the wilful flapper, impatient of restraint proved her to be a player of uncommon ability.

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FINE RACING STORY WINS COMMENDATION OF COLUMBIA CROWDS

The best racing picture ever shown in Victoria enjoyed its first local presentation yesterday at the Columbia Theatre, where F.B.O.'s big special production "King of the Turf" was exhibited to a crowded and enthusiastic house.

"King of the Turf" is a romantic melodrama with a background of racing, as its name would indicate. It has two thrilling, soul-stirring, hair-raising races, filmed as finely as August Belmont himself could ask. But it is more than all this. Primarily it is a human, interesting and entertaining story, by Louis Joseph Vance and John Brownell; who have not forgotten their comedy either. Not by a jugful! The humorous possibilities of the three yeggs who land on Colonel Fairfax in Fairfax Manor as guests of that aristocratic if run-down Southern establishment have been full realized. Possibly Director James Hogan should share equally with the authors the credit for this part of the production.

Now at the Capitol, Colleen Moore in "Ella Cinders"

"SIX-CYLINDER LOVE," AT COLISEUM, HAS SPEED TO BURN

It has been said that the modern girl cannot be attracted uhless a man can take her about in a gas car. "Six-Cylinder Love," which opened last night at the Coliseum, deals in entertaining style with a phase of the automobile situation in North America at the present time. To please a young wife a man buys her a six-cylinder car and soon finds that the car sets a pace which he cannot maintain. A six-cylinder car means entertaining with six-cylinder friends who set a six-cylinder pace. Something has to go and the young husband is only just able to pull up in time, having lost his job and narrowly escaped the law. It is a very fine comedy and everyone in the cast gives a good reading.

Jack Cassidy, a newcomer to the Coliseum, plays the husband who nearly goes under. It is a very human story. It is the young man's affection for his wife that causes him to err, and there is a tense scene when he promptly turns his six-cylinder friends out of his house.

COLLEEN MOORE IN NEW TRIUMPH THIS WEEK AT CAPITOL

Colleen Moore registers another genuine triumph with the delightful cinema entertainment called "Ella Cinders," which opened an engagemet at the Capitol Theatre last night, and had the audience in paroxysms of laughter at times and at others drew a tear or two with touches of pathos.

For one thing, her performance demonstrated beyond cavil that Miss Moore is one of the most versatile and winsome personalities of the screen to-day. Whether she be in satins or calicoes—and for a good section of this picture she is in calicoes—she is appealing to the nth degree.

"Ella Cinders" is a unique experiment in motion pictures, and judging from last night's reception a highly successful one. It marks the first attempt to make a feature motion picture from a newspaper comic strip, having been adapted from the joint creation of William Conselman and Charles Plumb, now running in a hundred dailies. More of this sort of thing will be welcomed by moviegoers.

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Roach to Edify Farcical Film

For years theatre-goers have been amused by slap-stick, pie-throwing comedies of the silver sheet. But these farcical films have been given an unimportant place on the theatre programme.

A new comedy era is now ready to be offered movie lovers—an age which is Hal Roach's "brain child." Roach often dreamed of the time when comedies would hold an equal place with feature pictures. Through his own ceaseless efforts his dream is about to be realized.

Hal Roach's present prominence is due largely to his "Our Gang" two-reelers. While other producers stuck to custard pie as a means of drawing laughs, Roach rounded up his "gang" and started making kid comedies. As a tribute to his success, practically all comedy producers are now making some child pictures.

"I believe theatre managers do not appreciate the drawing power of comedies," says Roach. "When a movie fan picks up a paper to help him decide what show to attend, the only information he can find is the name of the feature picture and its star. If he doesn't like that particular luminary, he probably will go to some other theatre.

"My plan is to make comedies that will be advertised by theatres as an aid in drawing patrons. For this reason I have picked some of the best known stars for our two-reelers. Lionel Barrymore, Theda Bara, Mabel Normand and Charley Chase have all played in comedies which will soon be released."

Roach plans to make forty pictures during 1926. In many of these will be seen some of the leading film players. The young producer believes that his pictures will be funnier than ever because he has discovered that some of Hollywood's most dramatic actors and actresses can be equally as good comedians if given an opportunity.

HORSES WERE KILLED

Ottawa, June 22.—Two horses, part of an experimental shipment sent from Moose Jaw to Europe in September, 1925, under government auspices, "each broke a leg and were sold to a butcher," it was stated in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon in answer to a question. The horses were shipped by way of Boston. Whether the injured animals were sold for horse meat in Canada or the United States was not stated in the written reply tabled.

Sermon Delivered by Dr. W. Leslie Clay at St. Andrew's Church

Dr. W. Leslie Clay, preaching to the text, "I will be unto her a wall of fire round about, and will be the glory in the midst of her" (Zech. ii 5), delivered the following sermon on Sunday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church:

"The General Assembly of our Church is a window through which one may observe her life and work, obtain a comprehensive view of the extent and variety of her labors, catch a vision of her aims and ideals, and feel the throbbing of the Spirit that animates her. At that window I have recently stood for eight full days, observant, sympathetic, critical, sometimes fearful, mostly hopeful, and from it I have come away supremely confident. Within my heart ringing as sweet music the echoes of God's words: 'I will be unto her a well of fire round about, and will be the glory in the midst of her.'

"Before touching upon some of the chief incidents of the Assembly, a few general statements should be made, and first of all let me relieve all minds of the fear that the Presbyterian Church in Canada is in danger of degenerating into a mere sect—narrow, bigoted, reactionary, so devoted to the past that it is out of sympathy with the present and visionless as to the future. Some of our brethren who went out from us a year ago seem to be especially fearful that this is our fate and have been diligent in their endeavors to advertise our danger. May I say to all, whether they have left us or are still with us, and indeed to all the world, that the Presbyterian Church never was, nor is she to-day, a mere sect, but a living branch of the living body of which Christ is the living head, that while she has ever stood and still stands for a definite system of doctrine and policy she has ever recognized the Christian standing of all disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ, and opened wide her doors to all who believe and call themselves Christians, that in heartiest co-operation with all other branches of the Church, she seeks to build the Kingdom of God on earth and to gather thereinto all men, even to the utmost bounds of the world. I make bold to say that no branch of the Church is more free from the Spirit of Sectarianism, more truly Catholic, than is the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

"The deepest impression made by the Assembly as a whole was that the Church, with a chastened spirit and a quiet confidence, has realized her strength and has accepted her great task, and is going forward to discharge that task with earnestness and faith.

MISSION OF CHURCH

"The great mission of the Church is missions. Consequently the largest place on the docket was held by the Mission Board. Instead of the two separate boards of former years, the Home and the Foreign, the Assembly of last year decided that for the period of readjustment all mission work, whether at home or abroad, should be under the supervision of one general board of missions. That policy will be continued for another year but it is expected that by this time next year the work will have so far expanded, and the adjustment of matters on the foreign fields been so far advanced, as to require the activities of two separate boards. The policy of the board throughout Canada has been that, wherever a group of loyal Presbyterians existed, services more or less regular would be given to them. To carry out that policy with the scarcity of ministers meant that those who were already doing full work were required to do more, and several ministers who, through age, had retired, have come forth to do what they could to meet the emergency. In some instances where no men were available to give visibility to the Presbyterian cause, the women came together and organized Sabbath schools and branches of that most efficient organization, the Women's Missionary Society, and thus the Witness of the Church was maintained. Also a spirit of renewed and enlarged liberality on the part of the people has been aroused, so that all obligations for the year had been met and a substantial balance stands to our credit at the bank. A striking example of liberality was mentioned by the Synodical Missionary of the Maritime Provinces in the course of his address. At Mahone Bay in Nova Scotia the vote had gone in favor of Union. Those remaining Presbyterian were few in number and discouraged, and in danger of being absorbed or, worse still, of lapsing from all Church interests. One man, an elder, sought to hold them together and, Nehemiah-like, sought to inspire them to build anew. He met with little encouragement and much opposition. 'We cannot build a Church,' they told him, so he went ahead and built it himself at a cost of $10,000.00. When it was known that this elder was a Commissioner to the Assembly he was called to the platform and accorded the thanks of the whole body. With men of that spirit among our 155,000 communicant members the banner of our Presbyterianism is not likely to disappear from the skies of Canada.

FOREIGN FIELDS

"The work of our foreign fields has been beset with more serious difficulties. To the Presbyterian Church, as it existed prior to June 10, 1925, there had been allotted as our share of the non-Christian world, about 16,000,000 souls. To minister to these the Church had, at considerable expense, sent out her missionaries, established and equipped churches, hospitals, schools, printing and other industrial activities. Those of us who wished to remain Presbyterian, unwilling to relinquish our interest in foreign missionary work, looked and asked for some recognition of our rights in the work already established, but thus far our claims have not been recognized and it would seem as if we must await the action of the Federal Commission before our status in these matters is actually determined. Meanwhile some thirty or forty of our staff in the foreign field desire to remain Presbyterian, and are impatient at the enforced delay. Two of these were present at the Assembly and spoke on foreign mission night. The Gualior field and the Bhil field in India desire to remain with our Church and are asking for reinforcements. South China, Formosa and Korea are also seeking some division of the work that would enable some of those in the fields to remain under the Presbyterian Church.

"In all our mission work the Women's Missionary Society has taken a very large part. Their liberality in financial support and their wisdom in practical control are worthy of all commendation. Our budget requirements for the year, apart from the women's activities, are $600,000.

"Now I come to the college situation. Prior to June 10 of last year the Presbyterian Church had eight colleges where theological education was being given. Of those eight the destiny of only two has thus far been determined. These happen to be the largest and most important of the eight and both of these—Knox, Toronto and the Presbyterian College, Montreal—by Provincial enactment, have been allotted to us.

"Over these two institutions the most animated discussions of the Assembly occurred. It is well known that in Montreal College the principal and one professor stood out for the continuance of the Presbyterian Church. The other members of the staff entered the United Church. You will remember that the Toronto Assembly of last year dismissed these two Presbyterian professors, appointed another acting principal and wired instructions to Montreal to take immediate possession of the college buildings and property. That action was not protested in the courts; but other arrangements for carrying on the classes through last Winter were made, and the matter was pursued before the Legislature of Quebec with such success that that body handed back the college and all its property, including its charter, to those who remained Presbyterian. The actual and formal transfer was made on June 1 and on June 4 a special convocation and thanksgiving service, in which the General Assembly joined, took place in the Convocation Hall. The Assembly rejoiced in the reversal of a most high handed proceeding and on request of the College Board appointed Dr. F. S. McKenzie, at present minister at Paris, Ont., as professor of systematic theology. Thus, with such assistance as may be had from nearby lecturers, the work of the next session will be cared for.

KNOX COLLEGE

"The situation at Knox College was in some respects even more intricate. There the entire staff had entered the United Church and the Legislature had alloted the college to us. An entirely new staff, therefore, had to be built up. The Assembly of last year requested its Moderator to act as principal and authorized the Board and Senate to make what arrangements they could for carrying on the work of the immediately succeeding session. This year the Board and Senate came up to the Assembly with the unanimous and emphatic nomination of Rev. Thos. Eakin, Ph.D., D.D., as principal and professor of practical theology. The nomination was opposed with considerable vigor, solely on the ground that Dr. Eakin was supposed to be not in complete accord with the standards of our Church. No question as to his personal character, his scholarship, or his administrative ability, was even remotely hinted at, but the warmest admiration of these was voiced by all. It was simply the doubt, or the suspicion that he was not quite sound on some of the doctrines of the Church. No charge of heresy was made but simply vague suspicions that were floating throughout the land for many years were voiced. No one declared that he had heard from Dr. Eakin's lips, or read from his writings, any heretical notions or ideas, but that someone else had somewhere made the statement that Eakin was unsafe as the head of our leading institution for the training of young ministers. The mover of the amendment to his nomination declared that he would be quite willing that he (Eakin) would continue to occupy the chair of Old Testament literature as an ordinary professor. The debate waxed warm at times; and the most impressive speech was made by Dr. Ephraim Scott, the ex-moderator, whose orthodoxy no man would dream of questioning, or whose interest in all that makes for the Church's welfare none would doubt, emphatically supporting the nomination of the Board. Among other things he recalled an interview with Dr. Eakin when the rumors of the latter's view were discussed with all the freedom of privacy and friendship. Definitely the older man questioned the younger about his views on the great fundamental doctrines of the faith such as the inspiration of the Holy Scriptures, the Diety and miraculous birth of the Lord Jesus Christ, the sacrificial death on Calvary as the only attonement for man's sin, the bodily resurrection and ascension of our Lord. To all of these questions Dr. Scott declared that Dr. Eakin had given prompt, emphatic and unequivocal affirmations. The debate was then adjourned over the Sabbath. When it was resumed Dr. Scott craved the permission of the House to repeat what he had previously declared to be a report of a private conversation and to ask Dr. Eakin whether he had correctly reported him. Permission being given, Dr. Scott read a definite statement of the interview and Dr. Eakin, coming forward, declared in very few words that he had been correctly reported and that the views he had expressed to Dr. Scott were still his opinions. Thereupon the mover of the amendment asked leave to withdraw it, declared that he unreservedly accepted Dr. Eakin's statement, asked for his unanimous election and pledged his own support to him in the principalship. The election followed with practical unanimity. Dr. Eakin was called to the platform amid the plaudits of the whole assembly and made a frank statement of his opinion, reaffirming his unequivocal adherence to the standards of the Church, and especially emphasizing this acceptance of the great doctrines of Grace. He sought the confidence and support of the whole Church as he revealed his hope and purpose to utilize the rare advantages afforded by Knox College, not only in the training of young men for the Christian ministry, but in making it a centre of graduate study among the greatest on the continent. He referred to the rumors that had assailed his orthodoxy and said that these had started over twenty years ago when, as a young professor in Toronto University, he had conducted a class on religious education. A prominent barrister in the city of Toronto belonging to another communion has questioned some of his reported utterances and had written pamphlets against him. More recently the Union controversy in our own Church had revived those old rumors and galvanized them into new potency.

MAN OF GREAT ABILITY

"Now that it is all over and our premier college has secured as its principal a man of outstanding ability, I think that it is well for all concerned that the whole matter was as thoroughly ventilated. Had Dr. Eakin stepped into the principalship on the nomination of the Board, those old suspicions and inuendoes would meet him at every turn and operate to the disadvantage of the college in all its future enterprises. Now, those suspicions are allayed and Dr. Eakin enters upon this important task possessing the confidence and goodwill of the whole Church. The Board also asked for the appointment of Dr. J. D. Cunningham to the chair of New Testament literature. That request the Assembly cordially granted, and as if to show its independence of all boards and committees, the Assembly went further and made another appointment which the Board had not asked. This was the appointment of Dr. E. Lloyd Morrow, of Ottawa, to the chair of systematic theology. Dr. Morrow has not yet signified his acceptance of the position.

"An important step in connection with The Presbyterian Record, or rather two steps, were taken by this Assembly. Dr. Ephraim Scott, the veteran editor, at the age of eighty-two, asked to be relieved of further responsibility in connection therewith. The Assembly could not do otherwise than most regretfully comply with his request. The appointment of his successor was entrusted to a representative committee who, in the course of a few months, are expected to announce their decision. The other step was to change the office of publication from Montreal to Toronto.

"The work among the young people in Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies received its due share of attention, and the Assembly's sense of the importance of such work was expressed in the setting free from his charge of the Rev. Dr. Kanawin of Hamilton, to devote his whole time to the promotion of this branch of the Church's work.

"Other important work done must be hurriedly passed over with the merest mention, namely the reception into our ministry of a large number of ministers from other churches whose general attainments and acceptance of our creed in no wise lowered the standards of our Church, the establishment of a department of information that will seek to keep the Church at large posted as to the needs and progress of our work, the unchanged status of our Church in the world-wide sisterhood of Presbyterian Alliance was affirmed; the adjustment of our benevolent funds and the renewed declaration of the historic stand of the Church on the traffic in alcohol as a beverage can only be mentioned, while many other matters of perhaps equal importance must be passed over in silence.

"The fifty-second General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada has passed into history. The work accomplished and the spirit in which it was accomplished rank it as not below the very greatest of those that preceded it. Not in pride but in gratitude we remember our historic symbol—the burning bush with its inspiring encircling motto: 'Nevertheless, it was not consumed.' Not so long as the Prebyterian Church continues to witness for God shall it be consumed, for it is the Lord Who has spoken, 'I will be a wall of fire round about, and will be the glory in the midst of her.'"

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FIFTY-YEAR-OLD GREAT AMERICAN MYSTERY SOLVED IN DISCOVERY OF CHARLEY ROSS

THE Charley Ross abduction case, which for more than half a century has been the great American mystery, has been solved at last, according to statements given to The World by Mrs. Pierre C. Starr who, after two months in the south passed in gathering genealogical evidence, has returned to her suite in the Vanderbilt Hotel, New York.

Her husband, Pierre C. Starr, is well known in New York and in Canada and England as a newspaper expert and counselor. The Starr Service Corporation has offices in the Brokaw Building, Broadway and 42nd Street.

BELIEVE MYSTERY SOLVED

Mr. and Mrs. Starr are convinced that they have with them in New York to-day Charles Ross, kidnapped from his home in a Philadelphia suburb in 1874, for whom half the world has sought.

The World obtained exclusive interviews with him, and with Mr. and Mrs. Starr.

Mrs. Starr is a second cousin of Charley Ross. Her mother was a firts cousin to Charley's mother, who, before her marriage to Christian K. Ross, Charley's father, now dead, was Sarah A. Lewis. Impelled by this family interest, Mrs. Starr spent weeks gathering evidence and producing affidavits, all of which will be furnished to The World.

The man in the case—now fifty-six years old, married, with six children—has iron grey hair and a face lined by the years. Self-educated, without advantages of instruction, yet he is possessed of strong native intelligence and innate dignity.

ASKS NAME FOR CHILDREN

"I want no money," he said simply. "I know that the estate of Christian K. Ross was exhausted in his search for his son. All I want is my birthright. I want a name for my six children. I have borne four names and I want my right proved to one of them."

The fate of Charley Ross has become the great American mystery, our Kasper Hauser and Man-in-the-Iron-Mask case. Its echoes have lasted for fifty-two years. When Christian K. Ross died in 1897, he had spent $60,000 in a vain effort to recover his son.

Charley Ross, a boy of four years, was abducted from Germantown, Pa., a suburb of Philadelphia, on July 1, 1874, by peddlers. The men demanded $20,000 ransom. The father was willing to pay the money. But the case caused such a hue and cry that the abductors could not arrange for the return.

ENTIRE COUNTRY AROUSED

Police became active all over America. Huge rewards were offered. The country was so stirred that the hunt for Charley became a house to house, wood to wood and gypsy-camp to gypsy-camp affair, led by every parent in the land.

"Charley Rosses" popped up everywhere. But never the right one. Waifs and castaways were offered in every State. Mr. Ross spent his life on the search. He wrote a book four years after the kidnapping—"Charley Ross, the kidnapped Child." In this book he reported the tracing of "nearly 300" children, and the field of search included Cuba, Canada, Scotland and Germany.

Suspicion settled on two river thieves and peddlers, William H. Mosher and Joseph Douglas.

SUSPECT HIRED AS TRAILER

Mosher's wife had a brother named William Westervelt. He was believed an accomplice, but no evidence was brought forward. The police hired him to trace down Mosher and Douglas.

But in 1875 Mosher and Douglas still evading police, tried to rob the Bay Ridge home of Chief Justice Van Brunt, long dead. The Chief Justice was away, but his brother, J. Holmes Van Brunt, lived next door. The latter heard the burglar alarm ring and, calling to his son Albert and an employee from the stable, the three men went next door with shotguns.

Surrounding the house, they called on the burglars to surrender, when one of the intruders appeared at the door and fired on Mr. Van Brunt. The shot was returned and the burglar mortally wounded. The other man, who proved to be Mosher, tried to escape by running toward the water, but was shot through the body.

DEATH BALKS CONFESSION

As the two men lay dying on the ground, Douglas said:

"You've heard of the abduction of Charley Ross of Germantown? Well that other fellow can tell you all about it."

But Mosher was dead when the three men ran to his side and, hearing this, Douglas shut his lips and lay silent, dying. A small sloop, on which the burglars had reached the place, was found anchored in a cove just below the house.

When it became known that Mosher and Douglas had been killed, Westervelt was indicted, the police thinking he had hoodwinked them and really shielded the pair while he pretended to help the police find them. He was convicted of conspiracy to abduct, conceal, and to extort money by threatening letters. He was sentenced to serve seven years at hard labor.

But this accounted for only three of the kidnappingg gang. It was generally believed there were at least four. One of their letters said—

"There are four of us."

BLOOD BOUND UNTO DEATH

"We are sworn and blood-bound unto death to never give each other away."

The District Attorney who prosecuted Westervelt said—

"There were more than Mosher and Douglas involved in this business; there were men who took care of the boy, who moved him from place to place; who, when messages were sent telling of approaching danger, changed the quarters and location of the boy. The boy ha dto be hid and kept out of the reach of the police force.

The father, Mr. Ross, believed Mosher was the chief conspirator. Mosher "combined the genius of a skilled mechanic with the qualities of a daring burglar." In Philadelphia Mosher and Douglas had been peddlers, traveling with horse and wagon through the country selling small articles. Mr. Ross said they often extended these trips "into the State of Delaware and as far south as Baltimore."

FOURTH ABDUCTOR ALLEGED

It is here where Mr. and Mrs. Starr's and Charley Ross's accounts pick up. These accounts disclose the name of the fourth member of the kidnapping gang, or at least one of their supposed accomplices.

"His real name," said Mrs. Starr's new-found cousin, "was Joseph H. Hale. He used many names in the time I knew him. He was variously known as William Coleman, McPhelan, McHale, McHales, and in 1882 he used the name of Douglas.

"My memories go dimly back to the time before I was taken from my real home. It seems to me that I always knew I was a stolen child. Hale admitted it to me.

"My first memories are of a big house, with a sloping grassy yard in front, and trees down to the left. I remember where the setting sun made the sky red, and that gives me a key to directions. And at nights I remember a glow over the trees to the left, as if from a city. Then there is the bright memory of a blue velvet or plush suit I had. That memory stuck because after Hale took me I never had any clothing in my life.

TRAVELED ONLY AFTER DARK

"Hale took me south, over the Shenandoah Trail. I remember we traveled in his wagon. He was a tin peddler and sort of jack of all trades, a clever mechanic. Later he tried counterfeiting and a bit of everything. We traveled only by night. Sometimes I was hidden under tobacco leaves in back. I wondered at the time why we moved only after dark.

"As near as I can trace it all out now, we went from Baltimore to Woodstock, Va., and then down the Shenandoah Trail. Some of the places I got by asking Hale in later life.

"From Woodstock we went to Statesville, N.C. Hale worked there as a tinker in a jewelry store under the name of McPhelan. He got rid of his horse and wagon there, and we went on south by the old Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad, now a branch of the Southern.

"Our next stop was Davidson, twenty miles away, where Hale worked as a tinker, repairing guns and pistols. An odd thing brought Pennsylvania into my mind. Before he had got me Hale had worked one time for the Great Western Gun Works in Pittsburgh. I don't believe there is any such firm any more, but I am sure I remember the name. He used to send orders there for repair parts. He did a lot of gun repairing, you see. I saw the orders he mailed and asked him about it. Then he told me about his having worked there.

CUSTODIAN MUCH MARRIED

"At Davidson, N.C., he met a girl named Mary Jane Catchart, daughter of widow Cathcart. Finally they hooked up together and ran away, taking me along. They went to Rock Hill, S.C., jumping the border. Hale's first wife was living in 1923. But he had five common law wives that I know of.

"Well, from Rock Hill, we pushed on to Gaffney, S.C., where he used the name of J. H. McHales. I remember because he had a billposter for his trade, with two crossed rifles a pistol above and a powder horn below, then his name. We got there in September and stayed through Christmas. That was the first stocking I put up and I got a cake of rosin soap in it.

"Gaffney was named after old Dr. Joseph G. Gaffney, then practicing in that hamlet. Before Christmas time I was playing around a cotton gin which Hale was tinkering with and it fell over and the gin brush split my left foot. Hale took me to old Dr. Gaffney. He sewed it up. Then he looked at me strange-like, and kept staring.

"Dr. Joseph Gaffney died many years ago. But that night his son, J. Frank Gaffney, was in his father's office. He was then twenty-four years old. To-day he is seventy-six. He saw my foot sewed up. When we traced my history back to the town of Gaffney last May 14, Mr. Gaffney, a fine-looking and alert old man asked me to pull off my left shoe. At once he put his finger on the scar of the old wound, caused by the gin brush, between the second and third toes."

GAFFNEY AFFIDAVIT OBTAINED

Mr. Starr has the following affidavit signed by J. Frank Gaffney before a notary—

"This man. McHale (HALE) came to Gaffney with a woman and a child. I did not think, nor did any one else believe, they were married.

"The child was a beautiful boy, flaxen curls, and I fell in love with him because he was such a beautiful child. They came there in September, 1874, or right about that time. Their conduct toward the child created a suspicion on my part and my father's, Dr. J. G. Gaffney, and we were thinking about making an investigation of the matter.

"I told my father the child was Charley Ross.

"McHale spirited the child away from there after night by a negro, Abe Smith. About three or four days after this, or nights, McHale and this woman disappeared and within about the same time (three or four days) this negro returned but he would not tell anything about where the child was carried to. Owing to just coming out from under martial law, the older people said it would not do for us to resort to severe measure.

NOTICED THE WORLD'S STORY

"Right at this time The New York World contained an article about the abduction of Charley Ross, and I noticed his picture in the paper, and it was an identical description of the boy, Charley Ross.

"I fully believed, at that time, the picture was that of Charley Ross, and I am positive to-day that it was.

"I saw pictures of Charley Ross time after time and they all corresponded with the child that was at Gaffney, both as to color of hair and eyes.

"McHale was a very rough man and he was mean to the child and whipped him. The woman looked like she came out of the backwoods. McHale always kept his moustache dyed. He was a tin peddler and tin tinker and worked at such as that. The woman had to practically make the living.

"This man, McHale, had an old gin saw and the child, childlike pulled it down on his foot and split his foot open between two of his toes. My father dressed the wound and it got well. He still has the scar.

SEEN AFTERWARDS BY SISTER

"They moved to Beton, Ga., so I have been told since then, and Charley Ross was carried from there to an isolated part of the same State. My sister married a railroad man by the name of Gibson two years after that time. She found McHale with the woman and child at a place called Longview (now called Alto). Charley Ross stayed there until he was eighteen, my sister says. He ran away from there after that time.

"I have never seen Charley Ross since he left Gaffney until last Wednesday, May 5, 1926. . .

"I was just a certain this boy was Charley Ross in 1874 as I am of my children being maned Gaffney.

"I am seventy-six years old and of sound mind and have always had a retentive memory."

Mrs. Starr explained that a knowledge of conditions in Gaffney and the rest of the south just after the Civil War make it plain why Charley Ross was not restored to his parents. Hale had gone to the one region where he would be fairly safe from molestation by law. He was a member of the Ku Klux Klan, both Mr. Gaffney and the present Charley Ross declare, and it was this veiled force which the Gaffneys and others feared to provoke. This stayed their actions in part.

ISOLATED IN MOUNTAINS

"I grew up in Georgia," said Ross, taking up the story again.

"Back there in the Dodd Mountains you never came across anybody. They called them the Dodd Mountains because so many families named Dodd lived there. Corn whisky was ninety cents a gallon when the Government tax was $1.10, so it must have been made under the moon. Why, I can take you to Banks County to-day, where the county seat is twelve miles from the nearest railroad. And I can show you roads where an automobile has never been seen to this day.

'My only schooling was from Swinton's Word Book, Davies's arithmetic and the old Webster blue-back speller.

"Well, I kept after Hale to find out who I was. I knew by my faint early memories I didn't belong to him. He openly admitted that I didn't.

"Then I got hold of a letter written to him by Cleora C. Hale in 1879, scolding him for getting mixed up in some abduction case and causing him to run off and change his name.

FINALLY WHIPPED TORMENTOR

"At first he was pretty mean to me. He beat me often. I remember when I was a kid of eight, being made to go two and a half miles at night to the roadhouse for a jug of whisky, and being held up by some negroes, but bluffing them off with a pistol, which happened to be unloaded. He beat me plenty. But when I began to grow up he couldn't handle me any more. I kept after him hard for my name. Finally I whipped him. When I done that four times, he said if I'd let up he'd promise to tell me who I was before he died.

"Well, I thought he'd keep his promise.

"All this time I never had any suspicion I was Charley Ross. In fact, I never thought of any connection till Mrs. Starr found me. But I knew I was somebody, and not Hale either. First I'd gone by the name of William Thomas Coleman McHale. Then I became W. C. McHale. Folks called me Colie.

"The names of Mosher and Douglas meant nothing to me in those years. I thought nothing of it when Hale called himself Douglass in 1882. In 1884 I went down to Citra, Fla., for a job in the fruit groves.

INQUIRED ABOUT MOSHER

"Hale came down too and started working. We boarded at the same place. Whenever a stranger joined the table the landlady or somebody would say, 'Folks, this is so-and-so from such-and-such a place.' That was enough introduction all around. It happened a man was introduced this night from New York. I didn't pay much attention. But after supper I noticed Hale went up to him and said—

"'Did I hear your name was Mosher from New York?'

"'Yep, that's my name.'

"'Well did you ever know a Mosher in Pennsylvania. He was killed up there, I hear.'

"The stranger said he had lots of relatives named Mosher but didn't know if Hale's friend was among them. The incident passed out of my mind till I met Mrs. Starr."

Ross said he was always taken for a Yankee in the south and suffered a number of scraps in consequence. He continued to support Hale in his old age, hoping to have the mystery of his birth cleared up.

DIED WITHOUT KEEPING WORD

"But in 1915," he said, "while I was living at Miami, he dropped dead. Heart trouble, I guess. And never a word to me. When a man came running to me with the news, I told my wife, 'Quick, open that trunk and see what letters are there.' But there was not a scrap of paper inside. Hale had been false in his life promise to me."

Mrs. Starr told how she had gone with her husband to Greensboro, N. C., on last April 6.

Mr. Starr was engaged on work for The Greensboro Record. Through an article by A. D. James, who had been a special writer for The Philadelphia Ledger and years ago had written more about the Ross abduction than any other man, the Starrs became interested in a nearby clue. It was reported that a man living at Denver, N. C., under the name of Julius Coleman Dellinger might be Charley Ross.

CHARLEY ROSS?

Julius Coleman Dellinger, as he has been known most of his life, claims he is the long lost Charley Ross, the Germantown, Pa., millionaire's son kidnapped in 1874, when four years old and never found. Mrs. Pierre C. Starr of New York, who says she is a cousin of the Ross family, has recognized Dellinger's claim. Other relatives, including Walter L. Ross, a brother of the kidnapped "Charley," have not, however. Photo shows Dellinger as he is to-day at his Shelby, N.C., home, and "Charley" as he looked when kidnapped.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 22

CFCQ (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8-8.30 p.m.—Address by Dr. McRae.
10.30-11.30 p.m.—Dance programme.

CFDC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
6.30 p.m.—Capitol Theatre organ.
7-7.30 p.m.—Capitol Theatre organ.
8.50 p.m.—Studio programme.
9.30-10.30 p.m.—Tickletoe Dance Orchestra.

CFXC (291) New Westminster, B.C.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.

CFYC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Studio programme.

CNRR (312.3) Regina, Sask.
7 p.m.—Bedtime story by Aunt Jenny; studio programme of vocal and instrumental numbers.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.

CNRV (291) Vancouver, B.C.
7.30 p.m.—Health Talk.
9 p.m.—Studio programme.
9 p.m.—Studio programme by the McIntire String Quartette.
10.30 p.m.—Cabaret Belmont Orchestra.

KFI (467) Los Angeles, Cal.
5.30 p.m.—Rendezvous Ballroom Orchestra.
6.15 p.m.—KFI Radio Travel Guide.
6.30 p.m.—Simmers and Colburn.
6.45 p.m.—Dr. John T. Miller, "Human Nature Around the World."
7 p.m.—Virginia Ballroom Orchestra.
8 p.m.—Screen Artists' Quartette.
9 p.m.—Composers' hour.
10-11 p.m.—Packard Radio Club.

KFOA (454.3) Seattle, Wash.
5.55 p.m.—Atwater-Kent Boys, children's programme.
6.45 p.m.—American Institute of Banking.
8 p.m.—Sports talk.
8.15 p.m.—Studio programme.
8.45-10 p.m.—Studio programme.

KFWB (252) Hollywood, Cal.
6-7 p.m.—Ray Bailey's Trio.
7-7.15 p.m.—The Little Ant Man.
7.30 p.m.—J. W. Blohm Orchestra.
8 p.m.—Blue Ribbon Mayonnaise Orchestra.
9 p.m.—Orchestra, solos, and Sol Hoopii's Hawaiian Trio.
10.10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros.' Frolic.

KWI (226) Hollywood, Cal.
12-1 a.m.—Paul Kelli's Il Trovatore Orchestra.

KGO (361.2) Oakland, Cal.
6 p.m.—Dinner concert.
6.55-7.30 p.m.—Weather report, baseball scores, markets, stock reports.
8 p.m.—Eveready programme, Bijou Orchestra, Ricketty - Racketty - Radio Minstrels, assisted by the California Male Quartette.
9 p.m.—The Pilgrim's Hour.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music, Madson's Midshipmen.

KGW (491.5) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert, baseball scores.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—Weather, market and police reports, sporting results.
8-10 p.m.—Educational programme, book review, music by Alicia McElroy String Quartette.
10-12 p.m.—Herman Kenin's dance orchestra and intermission soloist.

KHJ (405.2) Los Angeles, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—Children's programme.
7.45 p.m.—Talk on "Dogs."
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.
9-10 p.m.—Times' programme.
10-11 p.m.—An hour of dance music by the Southern Serenaders.

KHQ (394.5) Spokane, Wash.
6-7 p.m.—Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra.
718 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
8-9 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
9-10 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10 p.m.—Time signals.
11-12 p.m.—Organ concert from the Clemmer Theatre.

KJR (384.4) Seattle, Wash.
5.40 p.m.—Closing stocks.
6-6.10 p.m.—Time signals, baseball scores, weather report.
8.30-10 p.m.—Puget Sound Savings Orchestra, time signals.
10-11 p.m.—Studio programme.

KNX (337) Hollywood, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—Atwater-Kent Orchestra.
7 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
7.55 p.m.—Health talk.
8 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
9 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10 p.m.—Ray West's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KOA (322.4) Denver, Colo.
5.30 p.m.—Brown Palace String Orchestra.
6.30 p.m.—Farm question box; silent evening.

KOWW (256) Walla Walla, Wash.
7-7.30 p.m.—Weather, markets, home helps and recipes.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-12 p.m.—Orchestra.

KPO (428.3) San Francisco, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—States Restaurant Orchestra.
7-7.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Orchestra.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
9 p.m.—Mona Motor Oil Trio, and Gypsy and Marta, harmony team.
10-11 p.m.—Palace Hotel Rose Room Dance Orchestra.

KQW (231) San Jose, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—Farm flashes, crops and soils.

KTAB (240) Oakland, Cal.
8-10 p.m.—Educational programme.

KTBI (294) Los Angeles, Cal.
7.15-8 p.m.—Aunt Martha's children's hour.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.

KYW (535.4) Chicago, Ill.
6 p.m.—Chicago Evening American studio.
7 p.m.—Programme, Congress Hotel.
9-9.30 p.m.—Classical concert.
9.30-10.30 p.m.—Congress carnival.

WFAA (475.9) Dallas, Texas
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Ford's Texas Trumpeters.
11-12 p.m.—Jimmy Joy's Orchestra.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Iowa
7.30-8 p.m.—Philbreck and his Younker Tea Room Orchestra.
8-9 p.m.—Bankers' Life Trio.
11-12 p.m.—Bankers Life Corn Sugar Orchestra.

WOAI (394.5) San Antonio, Texas
8.30 p.m.—Gerbhardt Mexican Players.

WOAW (526) Omaha, Nebr.
6 p.m.—Hugo G. Heyn, xylophonist.
6.50 p.m.—Orchestra.
9 p.m.—Classical.
10.10 p.m.—Radio review.

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Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, June 22 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—A temporary higher money market was reflected in an irregular tone of the day's stock market, but in the afternoon steel common, which was in active demand, promoted buying operations in various sections of the stock list. The motor shares were laggards in the dealings though an explanation of this may have been the afternoon announcement that the Ford Motor Co. had cut prices in Canada. Various oil shares were taken in hand with Phillips Petroleum and Texas Co. an early feature due to a renewal of the talk of a merging of these two companies.

The afternoon developments in this section were under the lead of Standard Oil of California and Atlantic Refining and they influenced some recoveries in which Pan American B. was prominent. The carriers were actively bought in the forenoon but met with little profit taking. Industrials were more or less quiet. Features in the day's news were the oil production figures showing a lowering also nearly May earning figures for the carriers that made their appearance, and it was this character of the news that helped by a renewal of the oil merger talk that stimulated interest in the carrier and petroleum divisions.

We believe there are still some attractive purchases available and expect the market to later continue its upward trend.

New York, June 22 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wall Street Wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: No change occurred in the general characteristics of the trading in to-day's session. Monday's irregularity was not renewed and bullish activities went ahead steadily throughout the day, favoring one group and then another as professionals searched for issues putting for the leas resistance on the upside. upside.

Demand for oils was stimulated by the statement of Walter C. Teagle to the Wall Street Journal that crude prices were higher than at any time in the past five years, due to declining production in several fields outside of the mid-continent and to constantly increasing consumption of petroleums products, especially gasoline.

Rock Island spurted 2⅜ to 54 and Erie common a point to 36½. Interests buying the latter stocks were confidently predicting an early announcement of a favorable character regarding the Erie's position in the revised Van Sweringen programme.

Advancing tendencies in the general list became more uniform in the early afternoon. Irregularity resulting from profit-taking was eliminated, and buying operations gained greater breadth as a result of the conspicuous strength displayed by Steel common, which moved up 1⅛ to 139 compared with its record price of 139¾.

Considerable attention was attracted by this spurt, owing to predictions attributed to interests sponsoring the stock that a new high would be established in the next few days.

Time money against stock exchange collaterals continues dull with the same firm undertone which developed late last week. Money for three to six months is 4¼ per cent. bid and offered, and lending generally at this figure. Commercial paper market continues quiet with rates steady. Prime names four per cent., good smaller names 4¼ per cent.

The open market paper situation seems not to be affected by the firmer tone of collateral time money nor by the recent commercial borrowing at reporting member banks, which during the past few weeks showed an increase of approximately $140,000,000.

SILVER

New York, June 22.—Bar silver, 65⅝; Mexican dollars, 50¼.

London, June 22.—Bar silver, 33 5-16d per ounce. Money, 3⅜ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4⅜ per cent.; three months' bills, 4¼ to 4 5-16 per cent.

NEW YORK SUGAR
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

Prices were unchanged in the raw sugar market early to-day, but the offerings were more liberal. Sales were 32,000 bags of Cuban in port and 14,000 bags of Philippines afloat, all at 4.14, duty paid. Refined sugar unchanged, 5.50 to 5.70 for fine granulated.

	Open	High	Low	Last
Jan.	2.75	2.75	2.72	2.72
March	2.75	2.75	2.69	2.69
May	2.82	2.82	2.79	2.79
July	2.43	2.43	2.38	2.38
Sept.	2.54	2.56	2.51	2.51
Dec.	2.70	2.70	2.67	2.67

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, JUNE 22, 1926

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	88-6	88-6	88-6
Allied Chem.	124-7	123-3	123-3
Am. Beet Sugar	24	23-7	24
Am. Bosch Mag.	23	22-2	23
Am. Can	54-2	53-2	53-5
Am. Car & Foundry	100-4	100-4	100-4
Am. Intl. Corp.	36	36	36
Am. Linseed	35	35	35
Am. Locomotive	106-2	105-7	106
Am. Smelters	129-7	128-7	128-7
Am. Steel Fdy.	42-6	42-6	42-6
Am. Sugar	64-2	64	64
Am. Sum. Tob.	17	17	17
Am. Tel. & Tel.	140-6	140-4	140-4
Am. Tobacco	117-4	117-4	117-4
Do., B.	116-4	116-4	116-4
Am. Woolens	25-3	24-6	24-6
Anaconda	48-2	47-2	47-2
Armour A.	14-6	14-6	14-6
Atlantic Gulf	46-7	46	46-2
Atchison	137-7	135-5	136-2
Baldwin Loco.	117-2	117-2	117-2
Baltimore & Ohio	95-7	94-3	94-3
Bethlehem Steel	42-4	42	42
Brooklyn Manhattan	64-6	64-4	64-6
California Packing	140	138-1	138-1
California Pete.	35	34-5	34-6
Can. Pacific	163-4	163-2	163-4
Central Leather	10-1	10-1	10-1
Cerro de Pasco	66	66	66
Chandler, pref.	31	30-4	30-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	133	132-4	132-7
Chic. Gt. Western	9-1	9	9-1
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	11-2	11	11
C.M. & St. P., pref.	19	19	19
Chic. & Northwest.	75-3	75	75
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	54-1	52-5	53-2
Chrysler Motor	34-3	33-6	34
Coco Cola	160-4	159	159
Colo. Fuel & Iron	43-3	42-6	43-2
Columbia Gas	82-7	82-2	82-7
Cons. Gas	97-7	97-3	97-4
Cont. Can	78-4	78-4	78-4
Cont. Oil	20-3	20-3	20-3
Cont. Motor	10-7	10-7	10-7
Corn Products	48	47	47
Cosden Oil	32	31-6	31-6
Crucible Steel	76-6	76-6	76-6
Cuba Am. Sugar	25-4	25-4	25-4
Davison Chem.	39-4	38-4	39-4
Del., Lack. & West.	144	144	144
Dodge Bros.	30-2	29-4	29-6
Do., pref.	87-5	86-7	87
Dupont Powder	238	237	238
Elec. Power	21-2	20-4	20-4
Engineer Gold	13	13	13
Erie	36-2	35-5	36-1
Do., 1st pref.	42	41	42
Famous Players	125	123-2	124
Fisher Body	96-4	96	96-4
Foundation Co.	104-6	104-6	104-6
Fleischmann Co.	47-6	47-2	47-4
General Asphalt	70-5	69-5	69-5
Gen. Electric	341-6	341	342
Gen. Motors	145-5	143-4	143-4
General Petroleum	65-4	64	65-4
Goodrich Rubber	53-6	53-6	53-6
Granby	21-6	21-1	21-6
Great North. Ore	22-2	22-1	22-1
Great North., pref.	77-5	77	77
Gt. West Sugar	97	96-4	97
Gulf States Steel	75-6	75	75
Houston Oil	61	61	61
Howe Sound	36-4	34-6	36-2
Hudson Motor	56	55-2	55-2
Illinois Central	122-6	122-6	122-6
Imperial Oil	36-1	36	36-1
Inspiration	23-4	23-4	23-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	54-7	53-2	53-3
Int. Pete.	33-7	33-7	33-7
Int. Mer. Marine	8-6	8-6	8-6
Do., pref.	38	36-4	36-4
Int. Nickel	37-3	36-7	36-7
Int. Tel. & Tel.	125	124	125
Kan. City South.	46	45-4	45-4
Kennicott Copper	55-4	55-2	55-2
Lehigh Valley	88-7	87	87-7
Louisiana Oil	19-4	19	19
Louis. & Nash.	135-1	135-1	135-1
Mack Truck	120	118-4	118-4
Manhattan Elec.	77	76	76-1
Marland Oil	62-7	62	62-4
Mex. Seaboard	9-3	9	9
Miami	13-6	13-6	13-6
Miss. Pacific	38	36-7	38
Do., pref.	88-5	86-4	88-5
Montana Power	78-5	78	78-5
Montgomery Ward	72-5	71-6	71-6
Moon Motor	23-4	23-2	23-4
Motherlode	5-7	5-7	5-7
Motor Wheel	25-2	25-2	25-2
Nash Motors	55-2	54-6	54-6
National Biscuit	94-6	93-6	93-6
Natl. Cash Register	44-6	44-2	44-4
Natl. Dairy Products	69	69	69
National Lead	160-7	160-7	160-7
Norfolk & West.	153	151	153
North American	52	51-6	51-6
Northern Pacific	74-6	74-2	74-2
N.Y. Central	131-7	131	131-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	45-3	44-3	44-3
N.Y., Ont. & West.	25-6	25-6	25-6
Packard Motor	41-6	40-1	41-4
Pacific Oil	51-4	51-2	51-3
Pan American	72-4	72-4	72-4
Do., B.	74-5	74	74-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	53	52-4	52-5
People's Gas	122-7	122-7	122-7
Pere Marquette	93	93	93
Phil. Reading Coal	41	40-6	40-6
Phillips Pete.	49-2	48-5	48-5
Pierce Arrow	27-6	26-6	26-6
Producers & Ref.	14	14	14
Pullman Co.	182	179-4	179-6
Pure Oil	28-4	28-2	28-2
Radio	48-2	46-4	47-1
Rail. Steel Spring	64-2	64-2	64-2
Ray Cons.	14-5	14	14-5
Reading	96-2	94-2	94-2
Rep. Iron & Steel	53-2	53	53-1
Royal Dutch	53-4	53-4	53-4
Savage Arms	83-4	83-4	83-4
Schultz	47-2	47	47
Sears Roebuck	53-3	52-6	52-6
Shell Union	26	25-6	25-7
Sinclair Cons.	23-1	22-5	23-1
Sloss Sheffield	131-2	130-6	131-2
Southern Pac.	104-7	104	104
Southern Railway	118-3	117-5	117-5
Standard Gas	56-3	55-6	56-1
Standard Oil Cal.	60-4	59	60-4
Standard Oil N.J.	45	44-5	45
Standard Oil Ind.	65	64-6	65
Stewart Warner	75-6	75-4	75-4
St. Louis & San Fran.	97	95-7	96-2
Stromburg Carb.	64	64	64
Studebaker	53-1	52-7	53
Stutz Motor	30-7	28-5	28-5
Tennessee Copper	12	12	12
Texas Co.	55-6	54-6	54-6
Texas Gulf Sulphur	144-2	143-1	143-1
Texas Pacific R.R.	54	54	54
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	15	15	15
Timken Roller	51-7	51-7	51-7
Tobacco Prod.	105	104-2	104-7
Do., A.	109-1	109-1	109-1
Transcont. Oil	4-1	4-1	4-1
Union Pacific	152	151-4	151-3
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	195	192-4	192-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	60-3	59-5	59-5
U.S. Rubber	64-6	63-4	63-6
U.S. Steel	139	136-4	138-3
Universal Pipe	25-7	25	25
Vanadium	36-4	36-4	36-4
Wabash	75-3	75-3	75-3
Western Union	147	145-4	145-4
Western Pacific	36	36	36
Westing. Elec.	70-6	70	70-4
White Motor	58-4	57-6	58
Willys Overland	27	26-4	26-4
Do., pref.	95	95	95
Woolworth	172	168-4	168-4
Worth. Pump	32-6	31-4	32-6
Youngston Sheet & T.	76-2	76-2	76-2

To-day's Mining Markets

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B.C. Silver	2.05	2.25
Dunwell Mines	1.80	2.00
Glacier Creek	.05	.08¾
Gladstone	.34	.37
Gleaner	..	.50
Howe Sound	36.00	39.00
Independence	..	.09
Indian Mines	.06	.06¾
International Coal	.16	.18¾
L. & L. Glacier	.09	.13
Lakeview	.02½	.04
Lucky Jim	..	.18
Marmot Metals	..	.10
Porter Idaho	..	.10
Premier Mines, xd.	2.10	2.18
Selkirks	..	.04
Silverado	.25	.45
Leadsmith	.09	.10½
Goldsmith	.18	.21
Richmond	.09	.10½
Malaspina	.12½	.15
Silver Crest Mines	..	.14
Silversmith	.48	.50
Sunloch Mines	..	.39
Terminus	..	.20
Victoria	.10	.25
Oils—		
B.C. Montana	..	.00 5-16
Miscellaneous—		
B.C. Electric	101.00	104.00

Sales

300 Premier, xd.	2.12
250 Premier, xd.	2.15
100 Dunwell	1.90
1,000 Gladstone	.35
500 Leadsmith	.09
300 Goldsmith	.18

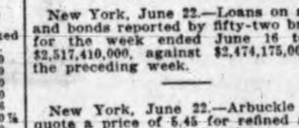
Buckingham	2¼	..
West Dome	14	14¼
Dome	1420	1450
Lakeside	4½	..
Goldale	25¼	..
Hollinger	1990	..
Hunton	15	..
Indian	5	7
Keora	6½	..
Kirkland Lake	103	..
Lakeshore	1125	1150
McIntyre	2525	..
Noranda	1510	..
Premier	210	215
Preston	4¼	..
Teck Hughes	365	..
Tough Oakes	42½	..
Vickers	36	39
Vipond	170	..
Wasapika	112	120
West Tree	2	2¼
Wright Hargreaves	810	825
Hawk	6	7
Beaver	75	..
Can. Lorrain	88½	..
Capital	34	..
Castle	144	146
Clifton	1¾	2
Crown Reserve	10¼	..
Everett	6¾	7
Keeley	147	150
LaRose	10½	..
Trout Lake	..	75
Pete.	3½	..
Lorrain	3	3½
McKinley	16½	..
Wettlaufer	5½	6
Nipissing	530	550

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	2.15	..
Bayview	..	.10
Daly Alaska	..	.20
Dunwell	1.85	2.00
Glacier	..	.10
Gladstone	.33	.36
Hazelton	..	.00⅞
Howe Sound	36.00	38.00
Indian	.06	.06½
International Coal	..	.17
L. & L. Glacier	.11¾	.14
Lucky Jim	.16½	.19
National Silver	..	.17
Premier	2.11	2.18
Ruth Hope	.25	.33
Selkirks	.04½	.05
Silver Crest	.10½	.14
Silversmith	..	.49½
Surf Inlet	.05½	.17½
B.C. Montana	.00⅛	.00⅝
Porter Idaho	.07⅝	.09
Independence	.07¼	..
British Pete.	.17	.20

TORONTO
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	128	..
Argonaut	22	..
Baldwin	3	..
Barry	46	47



New York, June 22.—Loans on stocks and bonds reported by fifty-two brokers for the week ended June 16 totaled $2,517,410,000, against $2,474,175,000 for the preceding week.

New York, June 22.—Arbuckle Bros. quote a price of 5.45 for refined sugar, prompt delivery off 15 points.

New York, June 22.—Willys-Overland net profit in May was $2,561,839, after all charges, but before tax, against $2,112,000 in April. The new whippet model is being produced at the rate of 300 a day.

New York, June 22.—Production of lead in May by United States Smelters totaled 49,853 short tons, an increase of 3,135 tons over April.

New York, June 22.—President Marland of Marland Oil says earnings in the first six months will exceed $4 a share after ample reserves.

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Descriptive Circular on Request

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, June 22.—Heavy selling of the July futures caused a break of 1¼ cent in wheat prices early in the session of the market here to-day, but sharp recovery was made from the low point. The close was strong, ⅛ to ⅝ cent higher, with July at 149⅞, October at 131¾ and December at 129½.

Commission houses were responsible for the selling in July, but strong interests picked up the offerings and it was difficult to hold prices at low levels. Exporters were moderate buyers of July on the scale down, but the volume was not large.

Trade in coarse grains was small. Scattered liquidation occurred in the flax market, but trade was meagre. A good demand existed in cash grains, but offerings were light and sales few.

Winnipeg, June 22 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: The market opened steady this morning and at prices about unchanged from yesterday, but heavy pressure against the July option forced prices down. Market finally overcome the pressure, recovering all early losses and closing 1-8 cent higher. The new crop futures were firmer throughout the day and closed about 1-2 cent higher. Trade was fairly large in the nearby months but quite small in distant futures. The selling of July wheat was largely outside orders from the South and was hard to designate trade, not knowing whether it was liquidation on short selling, while there were rumors that the pool was hedging their cash wheat through New York in anticipation of lessened export business.

Liverpool market was easy closing 3-4 to 7-8 pence lower. Broomhall reported a good demand for nearby wheat but that deferred shipments were neglected and lower in sympathy with markets on this side Monday. New York advices reported only a little export business working. Foreign advices were rather unfavorable on new crop developments and Broomhall anticipates large takings of Canadian wheat for the next few weeks as European stocks are low, but on the other hand supplies on passage are large and stand at 55,000,000 bushels and large purchases of Winter wheat for last half of July shipment.

The weather in the Canadian west is favorable with higher temperatures improving. We favor selling wheat on the hard spots believing the flurries will be difficult to hold unless the foreigner shows more interest or until favorable weather develops.

Coarse Grain: Trade was again very light. Early prices were easier but closed better with wheat. Oats closed unchanged, barley 1-8 cent higher, and rye 1-2 cent up.

Flax: Prices declined about 1 1-2 cents early on scattered liquidation but recovered later and closed unchanged for July. Undertone steady but trade is light.

Winnipeg, June 22 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Pit Wire)—Wheat opened lower with continuation of the heavy selling of July wheat which was in evidence yesterday. This heavy selling induced weakness in the July option early but these offerings were well absorbed and the market rallied at the close, closing unchanged to ⅛c higher. Prominent operators seem to be selling July wheat on the theory that Canadian wheat can no longer compete with new crop American export.

This heavy selling has been remarkably well absorbed with wheat going into strong hands. Bradstreet's visible decreased 5,740,000 bushels. The weather is settled in the American southwest with harvesting in full blast and yields are reported to be up to expectations.

Broomhall estimates the world requirement for the coming season at 720,000,000 against 664,000,000 last year. Export business was somewhat disappointing with no amounts given out. The market gave a good account of itself and doubt if further decline will be experienced and any resumption of export business in a large way should cause sharp upturn. Continue favor purchases on all recessions.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	150	150	148½	149⅞
Oct.	131¼	132¼	131	131¾
Dec.	129	129⅞	128½	129½
Oats—				
July	48¼	48⅝	48	48⅝
Oct.	45⅝	45⅞	45⅝	45⅞
Dec.	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝
Barley—				
July	61¼	62	61⅝	62
Oct.	61⅝	61⅞	61⅝	61⅝
Flax—				
July	197	197	195	197
Oct.	202	202	200½	201⅝
Dec.	200½	201⅝	200¼	201
Rye—				
July	89⅞	91¼	89⅞	91
Oct.	94	94⅝	93¼	94¼
Dec.	..	..	..	94¼

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 153¼; 2 Nor., 149; 3 Nor., 143⅞; No. 4, 136⅝; No. 5, 126⅞; No. 6, 111⅞; feed, 89⅞; track, 150⅞; screenings, $3 per ton.

Oats—2 C.W., 50⅝; 3 C.W., 45¼; extra 1 feed, 44⅞; 1 feed, 43¼; 2 feed, 40⅝; rejected, 37⅞; track, 48⅝.

Barley—3 C.W., 61⅛; 4 C.W., 60; rejected, 58; feed, 57; track, 61⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 196¼; 2 C.W., 192; 3 C.W., 177; rejected, 167; track, 196½.

Rye—2 C.W., 90⅝.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Industrials—		
Acme Coal	5	25
Centrifugal	21¼	21½
Checker Cab	4	5
Durant Del.	4	4¼
Mesabi	1⅜	1½
Stutz	26½	28
Reo	20	20¼
Tob. Prod. Ex.	3⅞	4
Un. Profit Shar.	9⅞	10½
Un. Retail Candy	6⅛	6⅜
Cities Serv., com.	41⅝	41⅞
Cities Serv., pref.	26	26¼
Cities Serv. Bkrs.	20⅞	21
Am. Gas El.	85	85⅞
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	15¼	15⅝
Oils—		
Carib	16	16⅛
Glenrock	10	25
Int. Pete.	33⅝	33⅞
Marl. Mex.	2⅛	2⅜
Mexico Oil	9	10
Cont'l Oil	21¼	21⅜
Pennock Oil	16	18
Ryan Cons.	6⅞	7
Sapulpa	1	1½
Salt Cr. Prod.	31½	31⅝
Salt Cr. Cons.	8⅞	9
Wilcox	31¼	35
CLY	12⅛	13
MU	24⅞	25
Mines—		
Ariz. Globe	9	10
Butte & W.	..	10
Cal. Jerome	10	12
Cons. Copper	3	3¼
Cresson	1⅞	2
Delores	30	40
Eureka	9	10
Hecla	17	17½
Hollinger	19⅜	20
J. V. Devel.	60	65
Kerr Lake	1	1⅛
Mason Valley	1⅜	1⅞
Nipissing	5¼	5⅝
Ohio Copper	60	61
Teck Hughes	3⅜	3¾
Un. Eastern	30	33
Un. Verde Ex.	27½	28
Wayne Coal	..	15

MONEY MARKET

New York, June 22.—Call money easier, high 4¼, low 4¼, ruling rate 4¼, closing bid 4¼, offered at 4⅛, last loan 4¼, call loans against acceptances 3½.

Time loans steady, mixed collateral 60-90 days 4⅛ @ 4¼ per cent, 4-6 months 4¼.

Prime mercantile paper 3⅞ @ 4 per cent.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, June 22 (By R. P. Clark and Company).—Wheat: Developments indicated an oversold condition of the wheat market. Volume of trade remained moderate and the swings were within a narrow range, but enough commission house absorption was under way on the dips to care for the offerings. Export demand for wheat was moderate, but premiums on old grain held fairly well in the southwest, and the increased shipments from primary points impressed some operators as well as the Broomhall comment that Europe and ex-Europe would require 72,000,000 this year compared with 664,000,000 on the old crop.

Prospects were for clearing weather in southwest, which might facilitate movement. Here reports suggest that shipping returns are running better than had been expected. The world's available supply of wheat and flour for the week showed a decrease of 5,740,000 bushels and now totals 122,901,000 bushels compared with 136,057,000 bushels last year.

Stocks of wheat at Minneapolis for three days decreased 100,000 bushels. Local cash premiums were 2 to 4 cents lower. No. 2 hard sold at 13 cents over spot compared with 4 cents over yesterday. Market is likely to move erratically for the present, as the new crop movement increases, but we continue to advise purchases on soft spots.

Corn: Liquidation was again in evidence early, and prices dropped to new low levels on the decline for July and September. Shorts covered on the way down and there was a fair recovery from the bottom. News developments were without especial change. While the commercial demand locally was of fair size and the basis steady, outside points in the last claimed corn was being offered two cents below the Chicago parity.

Oats: Held within a narrow range and finished steady to a trifle easier. Commission trade was mixed. Further hedging sales were noted. Country offerings fairly large, purchase of 50,000 bushels new and old being reported overnight. Growing weather regarded as a little more favorable for the new crop.

Rye: Dropped sharply and failed to recover to any extent from the low. There was evidence of liquidation which found the market lacking in support. Export demand failed to improve, despite the spotted crop outlook in this country and central Europe.

Chicago, June 22 (By B. C. Bond Corporation's direct pit wire)—Wheat prices held within a range of one cent per bushel with the market averaging lower on the better weather in the southwest and the forecast for generally fair and somewhat warmer weather which will permit cutting and threshing to go ahead rapidly. Further readjustment between old and new crop under way with premiums here 2 to 4 cents lower while Kansas City old wheat was steady and new about four cents lower.

Little change at Wichita, Kas. Bulk of the trade was of a local character with market easily influenced at times. Export demand at the seaboard slow and premiums at the Gulf on new grain were reported as easier.

Liverpool closed ⅝ to ⅞ lower. July and September corn sold at new lows on the crop as result of scattered selling, which found market poorly supported.

July went to wider discount under September with cash interests buying July and selling September on the break. Present spread between two largest in many years. Cash corn basis steady to one cent higher. Eastern demand remains decidedly slow. Oats were lower with corn, some stops being uncovered.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	137-2	137-7	136-6	137-4
Sept.	133	133-7	132-6	133-4
Dec.	135-4	136-1	135-2	135-5
Corn—				
July	69-3	69-4	68-7	69-3
Sept.	75-2	75-2	74-4	74-7
Dec.	76-4	77	76-4	76-7
Oats—				
July	39-7	40	39-5	39-7
Sept.	40-7	40-7	40-4	40-6
Dec.	42-5	42-7	42-4	42-5
Rye—				
July	91-6	92	90-1	90-7
Dec.	97	99-1	97	98-1

Montreal Stocks
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Last
Asbestos, pref., new	76
Abitibi	73-4
Asbestos	21-4
Atlantic Sugar	26
Bell Telephone	138-4
Brazilian Traction	96-6
Brampton Paper	31-4
Can. Cement, com.	103
Do., pref.	115
Can. Car Fdy., com.	40
Do., pref.	84
Can. S.S., com.	18-4
Do., pref.	70-4
Can. Cottons	112
Can. Converters	91
Cons. M. & S.	211
Dom. Bridge	101
Dom. Glass	95
Dom. Textile	91
Howard Smith	49-4
Lake of Woods Milling	141
Laurentide Co.	87-4
Mackay Co.	132
Montreal Power	229
National Breweries	60-4
Ontrio Steel	73
Ogilvie Milling Co.	183-7
Ottawa Power	97
Penmans Limited	153
Shawinigan	193
Spanish River Pulp	99-7
Do., pref.	110-4
Steel of Can.	102-4
Twin City Elec.	73

NEW YORK COTTON
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	16.27	16.33	16.20	16.23
March	16.44	16.55	16.35	16.40
May	16.67	16.65	16.50	16.55
July	17.90	18.10	17.80	18.04
Oct.	16.41	16.69	16.39	16.60
Dec.	16.47	16.56	16.39	16.42

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Vegetables

Beets, 3 for	.10
Celery, stick	[illegible]
Local Potatoes, 4 lbs. for	[illegible]
Spinach, 2 lbs. for	.25
New Local Potatoes, 5 lbs. for	[illegible]
Local Potatoes	.25
Green Peas, 3 lbs.	.25
Asparagus, lb.	.20
Tomatoes, local, per lb.	.30

Fruit

Apples—	
Local Apples, 4 lbs. for	.25
Newton Pippin, 3 lbs. for	.25
Spitzenberg, 3 lbs. for	.25
Loganberries, per box	.10
Local Strawberries, 2 baskets	.25
Raspberries, per box	.15
Gooseberries, 2 lbs. for	.25
Canteloupes, each .20 and	.15
Watermelon, lb.	.08
Peaches, per dozen	.60
Plums, per lb.	.20
Apricots, per lb.	.20
New Apples, per lb.	.20
Cherries, per lb.	.40
Pineapples, each	.35
Bananas, doz.	.50
Lemons, Cal., doz. .20 .30	.35
Grapefruit, California, 3 for	.25
New Navel Oranges, doz. .50, .40, .30	.20
Florida Grapefruit	.20
Rhubarb, fresh, per lb.	.05
Dates, 2 lbs.	.25

Nuts

Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, new, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.30

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Butter—	
Best Alberta cartons	.45
Comox, lb.	.48
V.I.M.P.A.	.48
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.47
Pure Lard, lb.	.25
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.37
B.C. fresh, firsts	.35

Cheese

B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.45
B.C. Solids, lb.	.30
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb.	.30
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb.	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.65
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.55
English Stilton, jar	.90
English Stilton, lb.	.75
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.40
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.65
Swiss Gruyere, box	.55
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.15

Fish

Bloaters, 3 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, per lb.	.17
Fresh Halibut, per lb.	.24
Soles, lb.	.15
Black Cod, fresh, per lb.	.15
Skate, per lb.	.12½
Cod, per lb.	.15
Kippers, per lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.	.20
Smoked Black Cod, per lb.	.25
Whiting	.15
Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	.25
White Spring Salmon, per lb.	.12½
Smoked Salmon, per lb.	.40

Shell Fish

Crabs .15 .20 to	.25
Shrimps, per lb.	.35
Esquimalt Oysters, per dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, per pint	.30

Fresh Meats

Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.42
Legs, per lb.	.35
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.27
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Round Steak, per lb.	.30
Pot roasts, per lb. .12 and	.15
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.35
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.32
Legs, per lb.	.45
Loins, full, per lb.	.45
Prime Mutton—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.24
Legs, per lb.	.35
Loins, full, per lb.	.32
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.20

Flour

Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.45
Flour, pastry, 49s	2.30

Feed

	Per ton	Per sack
Wheat, No. 1	$58.00	$3.00
Wheat, No. 2	54.00	2.80
Scratch	52.00	2.70
Whole Barley	40.00	2.10
Whole Corn	50.00	2.60
Cracked Corn	52.00	2.70
Feed Cornmeal	51.00	2.70
Whole Oats	40.00	2.10
Shorts	37.00	1.95
Bran	35.00	1.85
Grd. Oats	42.00	2.20
Cr. Oats	42.00	2.20

Wholesale Market

Revised June 19

Meats

No. 1 Steer Beef	.14
Cow Beef	.12½
Veal .14 to	.20
Lamb	.30
Mutton	.22
Hogs	.22

Eggs

Fresh extras, case lots, dozen	.32
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen	.30
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen	.28

Butter

Best cartons	.41
No. 2 grade, prints	.36
Dairy solids	.30

Cheese

Ontario solids, lb.	.23½
Ontario solids, Sept.	.29
Ontario twins, lb.	.23½
Ontario triplets, lb.	.29
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.32½

Lard

Tierces, per lb.	.19½
Compound tierces, lb.	.18

Vegetables

Cabbage, per lb. .06 and	.06½
Onions, Okanagan, per sack	1.75
Onions, Spanish, per crate	6.25
Potatoes, dry belt, per sack, 2.00 and	2.25
Carrots, per sack	M.P.
Turnips, per sack	M.P.
Parsnips, per sack	M.P.

Fruits

Apples, Okanagan, per box, 1.75 to	2.25
Apples, local, per box 1.25 to	2.00
Bananas, per lb. .10 and	.11
Grapefruit, Calif., per case 4.75 to	6.25
Grapefruit, Florida, case 7.75 to	8.75
Lemons, per case 4.50 to	6.00
Navels, according to size, per case 4.25 to	6.75

Hams and Bacon

Hams .36 to	.38
Bacon .42 to	.60

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Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June and Dec.	100.80	101.80
1933 1st May and Nov.	104.70	105.70
1937 1st June and Dec.	107.70	108.70
War Loan 5%—Tax Free		
1931 1st April and Oct.	101.10	102.10
1937 1st March and Sept.	103.30	104.30
Victory Loan 5½%		
1927 1st May and Nov.	100.25	101.25
1932 1st May and Nov.	102.30	103.30
1934 1st May and Nov.	102.85	103.85
Dominion Loan		
1928 15th April and Oct.	99.80	100.80
1943 15th April and Oct.	101.35	102.35
1940 1st March and Sept.	95.45	96.45
1944 15th April and Oct.	95.55	96.55
1954 1st Feb. and Aug.	..	103.00

Add accrued interest to date: 1927, 1937, 21 days, .316 per $100; 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 52 days, .784 per $100; 1928, 1943, 68 days, .932 per $100; 1944, 68 days, .838 per $100.

METAL MARKET

London, June 22.—Standard copper, spot, £57 2s 6d; futures, £58.
Electrolytic, spot, £65; futures, £65 10s.
Tin, spot, £271 2s 6d; futures, £271 7s 6d.
Lead, spot, £29 2s 6d; futures, £29 15s.
Zinc, spot, £33; futures, £33 2s 6d.

New York, June 22.—Copper dull; spot, electrolytic and futures, 14 asked.
Lead quiet, 8.25.
Tin steady; spot and nearby, 61.50; futures, 60.50.
Iron unchanged.
Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and futures, 7.12.
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North Vancouver Bonds go to Ames

North Vancouver, June 22.—Bonds amounting to $79,500 were disposed of by the city council last night to A. E. Ames & Company, the figure quoted being 94.82.

SALES AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, June 22—Transactions on the Vancouver Stock Exchange this morning: 400 L. and L. at 13, 1,000 at 12½; 3,000 Richmond at 8½; 300 Gladstone at 34, 500 at 34½; 2,000 Porter Idaho at 8, 1,000 at 8½; 100 Maple Leaf at 35; 200 Premier (exd) 215; 5,000 Indian at 6½, 2,000 at 6½; 500 Independence at 7½; 100 Gregory Tire at 60.

Monday afternoon sales: 500 Gladstone at.35; 100 Premier at 2.13; 1,000 Lucky Jim at .17.

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	Bid
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.43
Advance	.45
British Dominion	.75
Big Chief	.45
Cooper	1.05
Calgary Petroleum	3.25
Dalhousie	3.75
Great West	1.10
Illinois Alberta	1.85
Highland	.60
McLeod	9.75
Midwest	.62
Mount Stephen	.50
Mill City	.30
McDougal Segur	1.57½
United Oils	2.80
Urban	.24
Vulcan	5.10

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TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling — Buying $4.84, selling $4.87.

Japanese yen, 46.9 cents.

Chinese tael (Shanghai), 73.1 cents.

New York, June 22.—Foreign exchanges easy. Quotations in cents: Great Britain — Demand 486 3-16, cables 486 11-16, sixty-day bills on banks 482⅝.

France—Demand 2.83, cables 2.83½.
Italy—Demand 3.60, cables 3.61.
Belgium—Demand 2.85½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 40.13.
Norway—Demand 22.13.
Sweden—Demand 26.83.
Denmark—Demand 26.51.
Switzerland—Demand 19.35.
Spain—Demand 16.20.
Greece—Demand 1.24.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugoslavia—Demand 1.77¼.
Austria—Demand .14125.
Rumania—Demand .43¼.
Argentina—Demand 40.37.
Tokio—Demand 46.87½.
Shanghai—Demand 73.00.
Montreal—Demand 100.14 1-16.

B.C. Pulp and Paper Shows Big Surplus

A surplus of $150,193 on March 31 after payment of all interest and depreciation charges was shown by the B.C. Pulp and Paper Co. Limited, which took over the former Whalen plant, according to its balance sheet of April 30. The net profit for the month of April, after providing interest on bonds but not depreciation, was $58,124.

Activity of the plant is shown by the current assets of $99,095 manufactured products, $20,541 pulp in process, $194,501 logs, shingle bolts, cordwood and pulpwood, and $298,352 materials and supplies in hand and in transit, and cash on hand in transit $696,760.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

ROUND—On the evening of June 21, at the residence of J. R. Simons, 935 St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, there passed away Miss Fanny Round, aged 78 years; born in Oxford. The late Miss Round lived many years in Jersey, Channel Islands, coming to Victoria from Winnipeg five years ago. Her brother, the late Capt. Henry B. Round, Gorge Road, 49th Batt. C.E.F., was for many years attached to the Maple Leaf Club, London, as Paymaster during the Great War. The deceased lady leaves, besides relatives in England, a niece, Mrs. Turner of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Green (cousins), Vancouver.

The funeral will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Broughton Street, on Wednesday, June 23, 1926, at 3 o'clock, to Royal Oak Burial Park.

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THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

By-Election 1926

WHEREAS Councillor H. L. Wilson has resigned his office, and it has become necessary to fill his office for the term expiring in January, 1928:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay that I require the presence of the said Electors in the Council Chamber, at the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue, Oak Bay, on Monday, the 14th day of June, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing one person to represent them as Councillor.

Nomination papers, obtainable at the Municipal Hall, shall be signed by two voters of the Municipality and delivered to the Returning Officer before 2 p.m. on June 14, 1926; polling, if necessary, shall take place on Thursday, June 17, 1926, in the said Council Chamber, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Further particulars at Municipal Hall.

Given under my hand at Oak Bay, B.C., this 11th day of June, 1926.

R. F. BLANDY,
Returning Officer.

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ALBERTA CANDIDATE

Calgary, July 22.—Milton McCool has been formally accepted by the United Farmer Party as its nominee in the Cochrane riding following the failure of A. A. Moore, former member, to get his papers filed in time, owing to being delayed by bad roads. The provincial general election will take place June 28.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Vancouver, June 22—Exoneration of the motorman, Alfred A. Taylor, was contained in the verdict of accidental death returned by the coroner's jury at the inquest held at the city morgue here yesterday afternoon on the death of five-year-old Brianne Thomas beneath the wheels of a street car at Broadway ing.

VOLCANO IN ERUPTION

Cordova, June 22.—Equipped with gas masks, Henry Watkins left Cordova this morning to investigate a reported eruption of a volcano two miles from the Copper River and Northwestern Railway, northeast of here. Smoke visible for ten miles was seen issuing from the peak Saturday.

THE PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL

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The Annual Meeting of the Donors and Subscribers to the Institution will be held at the hospital on Friday afternoon, June 25, 1926, at 3 o'clock. Business: Receiving the report of the Directors, the Hon. Treasurer's statement for the year ending May 31, 1926, and election of four directors.

The following Directors retire and are eligible for re-election: Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Messrs. Chas. Williams, D. James Angus and S. J. Drake.

All donors of money of $100.00 and upwards and annual subscribers of $5.00 and upwards are eligible to vote for the Election of Directors.

D. D. MUIR,
Secretary.

June 11, 1926.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Don Wah, Otherwise Known as Dong Wah, Deceased,

and

In the Matter of the "Administration Act."

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the 7th day of June, A.D. 1926, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 15th day of July, A.D. 1926, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of June, A.D. 1926.

R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

TENDERS FOR DREDGING

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Dredging, Courtenay River, B.C.," will be received until 12 o'clock noon (daylight saving), Wednesday, June 30, 1926.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application to the undersigned, also at the office of the District Engineer, Post Office Building, Victoria, B.C.

Tenders must include the towing of the plant to and from the work.

The dredges and other plant which are intended to be used on the work shall have been duly registered in Canada at the time of the filing of the tender with the Department, or shall have been built in Canada after the filing of the tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for 5 per cent. of the contract price, but no cheque to be for less than fifteen hundred dollars. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada and bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
S. E. O'BRIEN,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 11, 1926.

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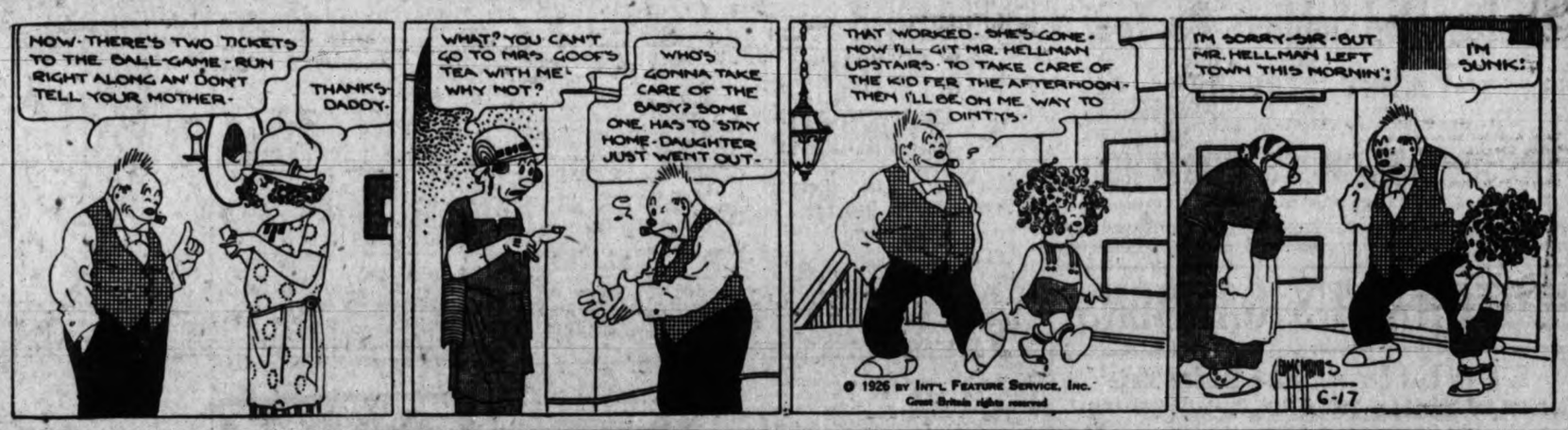

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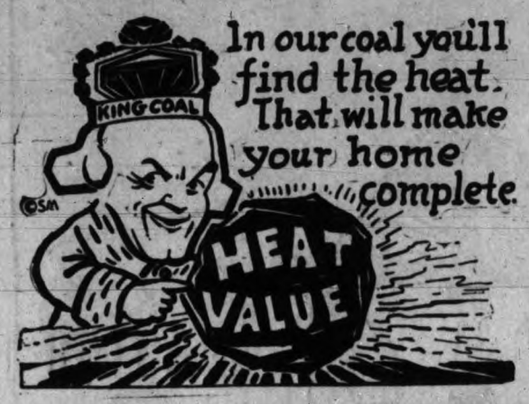

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TRAFFIC MEASURE RECEIVES FINAL OVERHAUL BY CITY

Summary of Proposed Changes Will be Prepared and Published

Council Votes Woolen Mill Concession, Favoring Industry

The street traffic regulation by-law amendments entered on their final stages before the City Council last night, with a delegation of taxi cab drivers holding a watching brief at the council hall. Police Commissioner W. E. Staneland attended and explained the intention of that body in regard to alterations made in the first draft of the changes proposed. As soon as these can be analyzed a summary of the alterations affecting motorists and all users of the highway will be published.

In the absence of Mayor Pendray, who is in Spokane as Victoria's delegate to the police convention, Alderman William Marchant was voted into the chair.

The motion by Alderman E. S. Woodward, setting on record the concessions the city is ready to make to encourage a woolen mill here, carried unanimously. A copy of these concessions will be forwarded to John Dean, said to be the author of a petition being circulated in that regard. They are, briefly, free water for a term of years, free site with waterfrontage and a level tax of twenty-five mills on seventy-five per cent of the value of the property and improvements.

The question of city attendance at the London, Ont., convention of the Union of Canadian municipalities was referred to the finance committee for report. The convention will be held in August, and the city is asked to send representatives to the Dominion-wide gathering.

A letter of protest from the Victoria Bar Association as to the action of the city in regard to the preliminary conduct of its water rate dispute was left to Mayor Pendray to smooth over. The protest was over a question of principle and not addressed to the city's choice of counsel as based on professional merits.

A request for a sidewalk on Douglas Street in front of the Masonic building was passed to the public works committee for report. A concrete sidewalk at that point was a needed addition, the council was told.

Alderman John Harvey reminded the council of the civic dinner to the noted English footballers now guests in this city, to take place on Wednesday at 8.15 p.m at the Dominion Hotel. The council will attend in a body, it was decided.

The city's grant to the upkeep of Memorial Avenue, $800, was passed, contingent on a like sum being raised from Saanich as in other years. A compassionate allowance of two months' salary was voted to the widow of an employee who died in the city's service recently.

A new agreement with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company as to the use of surplus water over the 9,000,000 gallon per day mark was laid before the council for approval. The only changes, it was stated, were in favor of the city, assuring that no demand would be made by the recipient that could not be reasonably met by the waterworks department. After other and minor business the council went into committee of the whole to deal with the street traffic regulations.

COUNCIL VOTES FOR POLYGAMY IN PARK GOATS

Addition of Alpine Couple From Banff Received Dubiously

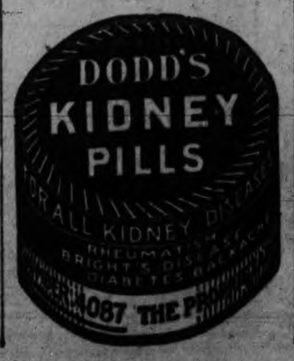
Following its policy of doing nothing by halves the City Council has created a somewhat delicate situation in regard to Rocky Mountain goats at Beacon Hill Park. For some years now the park has been graced by a lonely specimen of the alpine breed, rejoicing in the nickname of "Mrs. Andy Gump." Now the city is assured of two additional goats, one male and one female, which will be sent on to Victoria as soon as they are captured alive in their mountain fastnesses outside of Banff, in the National park.

City Hall authorities are not prepared to say offhand just what measure of domestic felicity will result from this arrangement, or how the tame goat will take the intrusion of two new members of her family from the wild and woolly spaces of the West.

In a letter from the Banff authorities last night the council was assured that men were now looking for the pair of animals that will be caught and shipped to Victoria. The city will pay the freight charges, and otherwise receive this handsome present for nothing.

The situation is further complicated as Park Commissioner T. R. Purdy, the only city employee who has had any success with the care and feeding of the species to date, was last night appointed as one of three Victoria delegates to attend the Spokane convention of the International Parks Association of the Pacific Northwest, which takes place within the next few weeks.

Alderman E. S. Woodward and John Baxter, executive and secretary respectively of the international association, are the other two delegates appointed to represent the city at Spokane.



BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Cheese Top

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

Once upon a time Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy opened the back door of the hollow stump bungalow to throw something out.

"What is it you are tossing away there?" asked Uncle Wiggily, who was about to hop off and look for an adventure.

"It is a chunk of old, dried cheese," answered the muskrat lady housekeeper. "It is too hard for me to use. It is like a piece of wood. Even the birds can't pick it."

"Come in, Uncle Wiggily! Come in!"

"Don't throw the old piece of cheese away," begged the bunny gentleman. "If it is as hard as you say, give it to me. I can make something of it."

"Nonesense!" laughed Nurse Jane. "You will need a sharp knife even to cut it."

"Speaking of knives gives me an idea!" exclaimed Mr. Longears. "I will take my very sharp one and cut a spinning top out of that piece of cheese."

So, being very clever, Uncle Wiggily, as he hopped along looking for an adventure, carved the piece of old, dried cheese into the shape of a wooden top, such as boys spin on their way to school.

"And speaking of lessons reminds me that I must go and see the Lady Mouse Teacher in the Hollow Stump School," said the rabbit gentleman to himself as he finished making the cheese top. "I'll go see how the animal children are coming along with their studies."

Putting the cheese top in his pocket, Uncle Wiggily hopped to the Hollow Stump School, where the Lady Mouse Teacher was hearing the reading lesson.

"Come in, Uncle Wiggily! Come in!" she invited the bunny gentleman. "We are always glad to see you."

So Mr. Longears sat down in a chair beside the Lady Mouse Teacher's desk on the platform, and as he listened to the animal boys and girls reading, Uncle Wiggily took from his pocket the cheese top and put it on the desk.

"What's that for?" whispered Miss Mouse.

"I am afraid I might forget and spin that cheese top in school, as I once did when I was a small rabbit boy," whispered the bunny gentleman. "Then you might keep me in."

"Oh, I guess you wouldn't do that," laughed Miss Mouse. "But that is a queer top. What is it made of?"

"Dried cheese," answered the bunny gentleman. "I carved it out of a chunk of old cheese and I saved the crumbs for you," and he gave a pawful of them to Miss Mouse, who was very fond of cheese.

Well, the queer top remained on the desk of Miss Mouse all during the time the boy and girl animals were saying their lessons, and then all of a sudden, while Johnnie Bushytail, the squirrel boy, was looking at it, that top stood up and began to spin around.

"Oh, look what that top is doing!" chattered Johnnie. "It's spinning all by itself." The Lady Mouse Teacher looked, as did all the children. Surely the top was spinning!

"Are you doing that, Uncle Wiggily?" asked the teacher.

"Oh, no, indeed! I'm not touching the top!" answered the bunny gentleman, and, truly, he wasn't. He was an the other side of the desk from it. But the cheese top kept on spinning, and it made the children laugh right out loud in school, until, all of a sudden, it stopped.

And then, all at once, a little piece of cheese fell off the side of the top, and—out stepped a tiny little brown and white mouse.

"Oh, were you inside the top, and were you making it spin?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Yes," answered the tiny creature. "I am a Japanese waltzing, or spinning mouse. I came from Japan last week and crept into your bungalow one night. No one was awake, so I gnawed my way inside the piece of dried cheese and went to sleep there. I have been inside the hollow piece of cheese ever since, and when you made it into a top I awakened and began to waltz around on my hind legs, for that I must do ever so often. And as I waltzed I made the top spin."

"Oh, how wonderful!" cried the bunny. Then the little Japanese mouse got inside the top again and danced around, making the top spin, and the boys and girls laughed once more.

Then the Lady Mouse Teacher took the Japanese waltzer home to live with her, and between them they ate the cheese top. Now, if you don't believe this story of a waltzing mouse, ask your teacher if it isn't true. And if the June bug doesn't think tomorrow is the Fourth of July and try to shoot a soda cracker, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the little tree door.

PROMINENT NAMES ARE ADDED TO CITY TAXPAYING ROSTER

Wealthy Californians, Shanghai Financier, and Local Men Buy City Lands

Willows Park Offer Interests Council; Lands Committee to Take Action Friday

By a unanimous ballot last night the City Council added a motion picture actor from Hollywood, investment bankers from Los Angeles, brokers from Santa Monica and a retired financier from Shanghai, China, to the roll of taxpayers of the city of Victoria.

Introduced by Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, the work of the City Lands Department in the last few days was laid before the council in the ratification of sales totaling $32,500. This involves a substantial cash payment to the city, and the assumption of $3,500 annually by new ratepayers of taxes and interest charges.

THE LEECH SALE

Here are the new citizens who will make their appearance on the city's books as a result of the council sanction of the sales last night: Earl D. Dietz, Hollywood; Mrs. Beulah M. Manning, Los Angeles; Dr. Edmund Alderson, Santa Monica; John A. Arnold, Los Angeles; Edmund V. Denton, Santa Monica; Fred. W. Beauzart, Santa Monica; George Cole, Los Angeles; A. W. Riches, Los Angeles; Mrs. Carolyn Willis, Santa Monica; Mrs. Mabel J. Miller, Santa Monica; Thomas V. Ricketts, from the motion picture colony at Hollywood; and Robert Bruce Wallace, Shanghai, China.

LOCAL MAN BUYS

In addition to the out-of-town sales the lands committee reported an extensive purchase by Alfred Carmichael, who takes eight and two-thirds parcels of land, known as part of the Alexander Munro estate, on Michigan and Douglas Streets for $12,500. The United States sales were put through by Harry R. Leech, leading Santa Monica realtor, in conjunction with Major M. Kirkpatrick Crockett, city lands commissioner.

Alderman Dewar reported the total sales included in his report for this week as showing a value of $32,650, compared to the upset price of $25,000 on the properties, and an assessed value of $42,980. In some cases the sales price was in advance of the assessed value of the land, and in all cases well over the upset price.

The city lands committee was congratulated heartily on the fine showing made, the best individual report made to the 1926 council panel.

WILLOWS OFFER RECEIVED

Coming on top of the fine showing made by the City Lands Department the inquiry by the firm of P. R. Brown & Sons as to the city's price for the Willows Exhibition Grounds was received with renewed interest. The inquiry was referred to the lands committee for report, without discussion at this stage of the proceedings.

Alderman Dewar stated later he would call a meeting of the lands committee on Friday when opportunity will be made for P. R. Brown & Sons to outline further their communication, so that the committee will have something more definite to lay before the council as to its recommendations in the matter.

It is unofficially stated the inquiry springs from outside interests who are prepared to put the Willows grounds in first class shape as an all-year-round amusement park if they can acquire the property at a reasonable figure.

In any event the Fall Fair of the B.C. Agricultural Association will proceed as scheduled, as the city is committed to that undertaking and cannot interfere with this year's programme, even if it wished to do so. The holding of the fair will not interfere with the offer pending, if the city sets a price on the land and displays its intention to sell at a reasonable price, it is stated.

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